8 MEN HURT IN ACCIDENT AT NAVY YARD

THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity—Rain or snow late tonight or Tuesday; slowly rising temperature; moderate easterly winds. Sun rises 6:56, sets 5:00.
Moon sets 5 p. m.
High tide 12:12 a. m., 1 p. m.
Temperatures till noon: Maximum, 37 at noon; minimum, 21 at 5 a. m.; average, 32. Temperature at noon, 37.
Light all vehicles at 5:30 p. m.

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FIRE IN THE CRAWFORD HOUSE

GIRL TELLS OF PASTOR'S WOOING

DEALERS DISLIKE EXPOSE ON FOOD

Endeavor to Hold Back Prices, but American Gets Correct Figures Showing Discrepancies

Fanuell Hall provision dealers refused today to tell the Boston American their prices, especially on butter, eggs, lard and cheese.

The Boston American wants these prices for the benefit of the public. It wants to show housewives what fair retail prices they should pay for food.

The American calls upon all housewives for their co-operation in its effort to publish fair retail prices, to send in, write or telephone to the American prices retail dealers have charged them for food today.

The wholesale prices of eggs handled today on the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange. Fresh eggs were quoted wholesale at 40 to 44 cents. This was a break of from 6 to 9 cents a dozen from Saturday's prices and a total decline of from 18 to 20 cents a dozen from last Tuesday's prices. The wholesale price of storage eggs on the Exchange today was 35 to 38 cents, a drop of 3 cents in the dozen from Saturday and 10 cents from last Tuesday. Cheese fell off 2 cents today, to 34 cents per pound. Lard was 22½ cents, off ½ from Saturday. The wholesale butter prices held firm to Saturday's rate, 49 cents for print and 48 cents for tub.

GUIDE TO HOUSEWIVES.

Despite the refusal of some dealers to give their retail prices today to the American their prices were obtained just the same.

Reputable clerks stood in the market district have sent in their prices to the American. These prices may serve as a basis of comparison for the guidance of housewives.

The American again calls attention of housewives to the government ruling, still in force, that the margin of retail profit allowed on fresh eggs storage eggs is only seven to eight cents a dozen.

The wholesale price of fresh eggs on the Boston Fruit & Produce Exchange last Saturday was 45-50 cents per dozen. The wholesale price of

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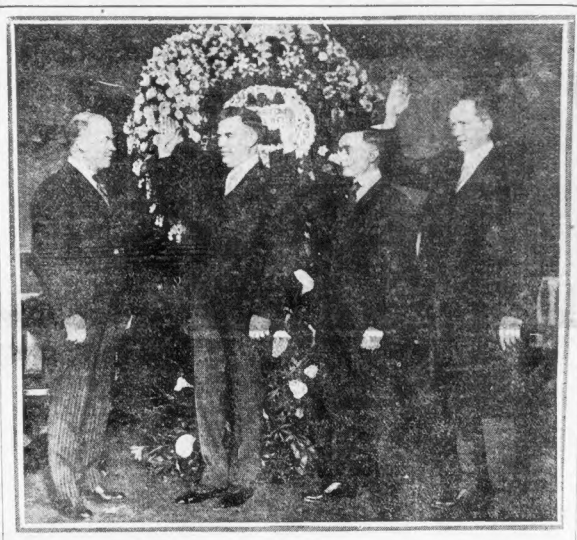
NASHUA FAMILY FLEES FIRE; $10,000 DAMAGE

Nashua, N. H., Feb. 3.—Frank Burnham and six members of his family were driven to the street in nightclothes early today when their residence on Broad street burned to the ground with a loss of $10,000. The property was owned by George E. Sanborn.

COMPLETE and UP-TO-THE-MINUTE Quotations and News of the STOCK MARKET, Every Edition, on Page 12

MAYOR SWEARS IN 3 NEW COUNCILLORS



Mayor Peters on the left administering oath of office to Councilors Edward F. McLaughlin, John A. Donoghue and Walter Collins (standing in the order named) in the Council Chamber today.

RELIEF CORPS WORKING FOR WAR BONUS

The Woman's Relief Corps, aided by thousands of veterans of the G. A. R., are working for the Boston American's petition to secure six months' pay for returning soldiers from the world war.

The activities came as the result of the official adoption of the American's plan by the Woman's Relief Corps, formed in Civil War times to assist the men who went forth for freedom and equality in the civil conflict from 1861 to 1865.

Thousands of members of the Relief Corps throughout New England are now circulating the American's petition in their neighborhoods, and their husbands and fathers, members of the Grand Army of the Republic, are carrying copies of the petition from house to house securing signatures.

The official O. K. of the Woman's Relief Corps, which numbers 150,000

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REPORT LENINE IS READY TO SURRENDER

Stockholm, Feb. 3.—Nicholai Lenine, Bolshevik premier, is reported willing to surrender if the allies will grant amnesty to the Bolsheviks according to a dispatch from Helsingfors today.

265,000 TONS OF MILK EXPORTED TO EUROPE

Washington, Feb. 3.—Exports of condensed milk to Europe rose from 8,000 tons in 1914 to 265,000 tons in 1918, the Department of Agriculture announced today. There were also notable increases in exports of other dairy products.

Boston must reabsorb its 40,000 soldiers and sailors, restore business to its normal channels, reduce prices, prevent unemployment and lift the standards of living, Mayor Peters told the new City Council today.

"It cannot be said the outlook for the coming year offers much encouragement," he said. "We have to face the prospect of a deficit in the Boston Elevated Railway Company, which will largely be assessed on Boston. The Finance Commission has estimated the liability for Boston alone at about $1,000,000. There will be a loss of liquor license revenue amounting to about $1,800,000. The water income appears likely to fall off by some $250,000.

"The School Committee is permitted an additional allowance of thirty cents on $1,000, or about $1,500,000. We shall have to provide for an extra payroll estimated at $183,000. New salary increases for city departments will amount to about $325,000 if they take effect June 1, and more if they are adopted at an earlier date. The salary decrease will add another $250,000.

NO BALANCE IN TREASURY.

"High profits of general business and other causes have made tax collections difficult, and on account of these reasons and the extraordinary

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Claims of Greece Are Taken Up by the "Big Five"

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, Feb. 3.—Greece's peace claims were taken up by the representatives of the Big Five powers today.

M. Venizelos, Greek Premier, and M. Politis, the Foreign Minister, were invited to address the envoys, setting forth in detail the territorial claims in Thrace and Southern Albania and in Smyrna.

Some of the Greek claims conflict with those of Italy, thus presenting obstacles.

IN NAME OF LEAGUE.

President Wilson had a full program of activities today. In addition to attending the supreme inter-allied council at the Foreign Office, he was publicly received on the floor of the Chamber of Deputies and afterward presided at a full meeting of the committee that is framing the program for the League of Nations.

The League of Nations meeting was recended as one of unusual importance in view of criticism that big problems were being shelved until the league could be whipped into shape.

The urgency of this matter was forcibly brought home to President Wilson by a review of the fortnight's work. Practically every important action decided upon today was taken in the name of the League of Nations.

Premier Hughes of Australia, who led the opposition in the colonial discussions, called it "a lighting up of an empty house of the League of Nations when it does not even exist."

The President is therefore most

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HALL PROPOSED; KISSED HER, DECLARES GRACE GEROW

COALING CHUTE FALLS

Four Sailors and Four Civilians Injured by Collapse at the Navy Yard Drydock

Eight men, four of them sailors and the rest civilians, were injured in an accident to the coaling machinery being used in coaling the naval transport Mount Vernon in drydock at the Charlestown yard today.

The civilians are at the Marine Hospital, while the sailors are at the Naval Hospital.

The injured are:

At the Naval Hospital, Chelsea:

Robert V. B. Berg of Aetnard, Pa., a seaman, second class; on the danger list. Multiple injuries.

David Guthrie of Brooksmith, Tex., seaman, second class; on danger list. Multiple injuries.

Frank Cooper of Waseka, Ill., boatswain's mate, second class. Multiple injuries.

B. F. Pattenburg, seaman, second class. Injured knee.

At the Marine Hospital, Chelsea:

Irwin Hunnewell, forty-five years of age, or No. 112 Howard street, Malden.

Adelbert Skinner, sixty-three, of No. 31 Jasper street, Somerville.

Fabrian Johnson, thirty-one, of No. 3 Dunlay street, Dorchester.

Charles Yearsley, fifty-six, of No. 32 Marsland street, Winthrop.

All four are suffering from contusions and abrasions of the body, but are reported not seriously injured.

JOB WAS FINISHED.

At the time of the accident the men had practically completed the task of coaling the Mount Vernon.

She was formerly the German liner Kronprinzessen Cecile. It is believed that at the time the chute was being removed.

The chute is used to convey the coal from the wharf on the lighter down into the hold of the transport.

Suddenly the chute dropped and crashed down through the stagings, carrying with the first of them the stage on which the civilian workers were at work. The whole mass went on down the side of the ship inside the drydock wall, until it crashed into the staging where the three sailors were at work.

$100,000 FIRE SWEEPS CARBARNS AT CRANSTON

Providence, Feb. 3.—Fire destroyed the old Arlington horse carbarns at Cranston today, as well as a few nearby buildings. The loss was estimated at $100,000. Only a hard fight on the part of the firemen, who battled with the flames four hours, saved the new electric carbarns, filled with electric cars, from damage. The old horse carbarns have been empty for years. Three small store and the Irish-American Club were located in the front of the structure.

Pershing to Return Men Needed by Families

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 3.—General Pershing has been authorized by the War Department to send back to the United States for immediate discharge from the service, individual drafted or enlisted men who present convincing testimony that sickness or other distress in the soldiers' families demands their presence in this country, it was announced at the War Department this afternoon.

FIVE ARRESTED IN STRIKE AT LAWRENCE

Pickets Charged With Attempting to Prevent Operatives From Entering Mills

By JOHN F. GAVIN.

Lawrence, Feb. 3.—Five arrests, made today when foreign pickets attempted to prevent English-speaking textile operatives from returning to work, and the questioning of an Italian strike delegate at police headquarters featured the situation here today.

The man in question is Frank Cocco, who has been prominent in addressing meetings. He was taken from his home today on Jackson street by officer Patrick Batey and questioned at the police station by Captain Charles Rose.

It was stated that he had made incendiary speeches at a meeting of Italian textile workers yesterday and at other times. No formal complaint was lodged against him, but it is understood that the police are closely watching his activities. Cocco is employed by the American Woolen Company.

Cocco later denied that he had been either detained or questioned by the police.

At a meeting held in Libby Hall, called by the general strike committee, representatives of the Italians and other foreign elements voted to

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TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $43,405,176.

Boston sub-treasury, credit, $101,407.

New York bank clearings, $701,400,000.

New York sub-treasury, credit, $537,238.

VENUS PENCILS
No work VENUS PENCILS cannot do.—Advt.

SAY DYING WIFE DENIED FALLING

Saco, Me., Feb. 3.—Rev. Henry H. Hall, accused of the murder of his wife, Mrs. Minnie O. Hall, took the stand to testify on his own behalf today. He was the fourth and last witness called by the defence.

Saco, Me., Feb. 3.—Sensations followed one another thick and fast today at the trial of Rev. Henry H. Hall, accused of the murder of his wife, Mrs. Minnie O. Stevens Hall. The most sensational features were:

1—Grace H. Gerow told of the pastor's wooing, saying he proposed marriage to her shortly after his wife's funeral. She declared he kissed her; but denied any improper proposals. She admitted she loved Hall at the time he proposed.

2—Katie Gerow denied clandestine meetings with the pastor, improper proposals from him, or that she was ever in love with him.

3—Joseph Waterhouse, the undertaker who prepared Mrs. Hall's body, testified that almost with her dying breath Mrs. Hall denied falling from the railroad bridge, where the pastor declares she fatally injured herself.

In her unsophisticated, naive way, Grace Gerow told of Hall's proposal of marriage to her while the pair were walking in a Portland park. She said that during their walk Hall made love to her and finally asked her if she would marry him.

"I answered that I couldn't say 'yes' at that time," testified Miss Gerow, "but told him I would pray about it and give him my answer later."

Miss Gerow denied that Hall had ever made any improper proposals to her either in Wells Depot or at Mrs. Allen's in Portland, where she roomed during the time she attended a Portland business college.

DENIES PLAN TO ESCAPE.

Previously her seventeen-year-old sister Katie (Beat threat Gerow had told Attorney-General Stevens that she had never met Hall either at the

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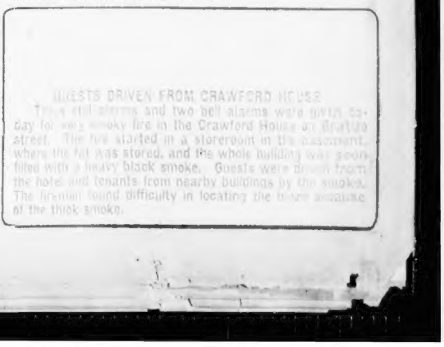
KIEV CAPTURED BY BOLSHEVIST TROOPS

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Polish National committee here today received word from Germany that Bolshevist troops have captured Kiev, capital of Ukraine, a portion of the opposing forces having deserted the anti-Bolshevik Ukrainian leaders.

The Polish committee urged prompt aid from the allies to ward off aggression by the Bolsheviki against Poland.



GRACE GEROW TELLS OF LOVE-MAKING BY THE SAILOR-EVANGELIST

PASTOR HALL PROPOSED MARRIAGE ON STROLL

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schoolhouse after both in Wells Depot or at a certain time referred to as their rendezvous, who also denied ever having any intention of running away with Hall.

Katie Gerow, sister of Grace, took the stand at 10:45 and told of meeting Mr. and Mrs. Hall in March when they first came to Wells Depot. Katie did housework for Mrs. Hall, she said, and said that everything between herself and Mrs. Hall was always friendly. Replying to counsel, she testified:

Q.—How many times was Hall ever at your house? A.—I don't remember.

Q.—How many do you think? A.—Four or five times.

Q.—What did he talk about? A.—He talked about religion.

Q.—When to your knowledge did Hall first meet your sister Grace? A.—After the fourth of July at our house at Bald Hill.

Q.—Tell the jury on what occasions you were alone with Mr. Hall. A.—I walked with Mr. Hall alone from church several times when the meeting broke, but he never accompanied me to my home at Bald Hill.

Q.—Did Mr. Hall ever make love to you? A.—Never.

Q.—Did Hall ever make any improper advances to you? A.—Never.

Q.—What did Mr. Hall talk about when he talked to you? A.—About religion.

Katie then told of a prayer meeting when Hall left his daughter Frances with his sister, and A. Lovell Hutchins, Mrs. Elizabeth Lovell Hutchins, and others.

Q.—Did you ever tell Mr. Hall that you were engaged to be married? A.—I did not.

Cross-questioned by Attorney Sherwin, Katie said Hall never said anything improper nor made love to her, but merely asked seeing him in a certain barn at Wells Depot.

Katie Gerow denied that she ever told Sheriff Hodges she was out riding with the minister or that she lost her pocketbook on one occasion and later found them in the minister's pocket.

Q.—Do you remember being in Biddeford with him? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You met him around 3 o'clock and took the train with him after 7? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You were alone with him then, weren't you? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did Mr. Hall ever leave your house when you talked with Mr. Ealing? A.—I don't remember.

Q.—Did Mr. Hall tell you not to say anything against him? A.—He did not.

Attorney Hinckley, recalling the minister, asked Katie to explain the Biddeford trip. Katie said she went to see Mrs. Hall's sister, and on the way she was returning to the station with her brother. She said she was with him before Mr. Hall left Wells and that he went to his home and she went back to the Hilton home, where she was working.

GRACE GEROW TESTIFIES.

Grace H. Gerow, the 21-year-old sister of Katie Gilest Gerow, followed her on the stand.

To Attorney Hinckley she said she came to Wells from West Virginia seven years ago. She never saw Mrs. Hall, and met the minister after Mrs. Hall died.

She was attending business college in Portland and went to the Pentecostal Church where Mr. Chase was the minister. She lived at Mrs. Ayer's and met Mrs. Hussey's.

Miss Gerow said she met Hall at his mother's home in Wells. Her mother introduced him to her. He offered prayer before he left.

On next met Hall at Mrs. Allen's in Portland, in the sitting room. It was in the daytime.

"We were in Mrs. Allen's sitting room in the daytime at Portland," she testified. "We talked about religion and the Pentacostal church of Nazarene. I met Hall at the trolley station in Portland and went for a car ride to a park. We left the car and walked in the park.

Q.—Did you love Mr. Hall at that time? A.—I did.

Q.—Did he make love to you? A.—He did.

Q.—Did you and Hall ever talk about marriage? A.—Yes.

Q.—When did you say when he asked you to marry him? A.—I answered that I couldn't say "yes" at that time, but told him I would pray about it and give him my answer later.

Q.—After that what was said? A.—Some time in the future we would be married, he agreed, but we would wait until after I completed my revival school training.

Q.—Did Mr. Hall ever make any improper advances to you anywhere or at any time? A.—No sir.

Q.—Did he make any improper proposals to you at Mrs. Allen's? A.—Not that I know of.

Q.—You would know if he did, wouldn't you? A.—Yes, I would have known it.

Q.—Tell the jury how Hall made love to you. A.—I don't just understand what you mean, sir.

Q.—Did Hall ask you for your answer to his proposal of marriage when you went for the car ride in Portland? A.—Yes.

Q.—On the beach? A.—Yes.

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Q.—Did he kiss you? A.—Yes.

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The following night he returned to the scene of the tragedy.

"What did you find?" asked Attorney Hinckley.

"I discovered that the two rocks between which I had discovered the glasses were gone," replied Hatch.

The supposition appeared to be that someone had removed the aforesaid rocks with a view to destroying a part of the evidence for the defence, and a wave of "sshs" and "what's" and "proceeded courtroom. Sheriff Roberts banged for order.

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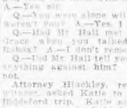

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56c

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29c
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29c

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Good looking, youthful model, with large shawl collar of rich moiré—sash belt that crosses in front and ties in back—new straight line skirt with pockets. Continued with fancy silk. Brown, navy or Burgundy. Sizes 14 to 18.
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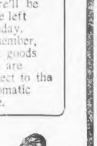

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79c
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White or flesh, neatly tucked models in contrasting colors.
$2.49

serge suits $23.50
Tailored model sketched—particularly good looking back with nine inverted seams to waistline, finished with hand-embroidered arrows. Peau de cygne lined and interlined to waist. Two other models—button trimmed in this lot. Sizes 16 to 42 in one style or another.

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Washable—made with two clasps. White, black or chamois color.

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first prices MUST be so low goods sell quickly

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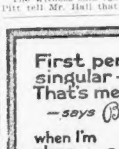
First person, singular— That's me —says Bobby



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He appeared today before the Senate committee on railroads which has been hearing from railroad owners, security holders, interstate commerce commission and state commissions and others on the question of returning the railways twenty-one months after peace is declared.

Mr. Hines was emphatic in his declaration that either the recommendation of former Director McAdoo for interstate commerce officials that the railroads be retained under governmental control for five years should be followed or the railroads be returned at the earliest possible date.

NEED OF FAIR TEST.

While asserting that he personally opposes government ownership, he declared the proponents of government ownership should be given a fair test hearing, which they would not have in the instance of the public psychological reaction against "too much government" engendered during the war. He branded as unfair a judgement of the operation of the roads during war times, when results, not cost, counted.

Railroad owners have been assuring the committee that while the roads should be held longer than the twenty-one months that they may have the assistance of government banking to finance themselves, they should not be held five years. They have intimated that the railroad administration's attitude of a five-year control or turn-them-back-anyhow is calculated to put the railroads at a disadvantage.

"We can only assume," is Mr. Hines' reply to the charge that "chaotic conditions" would result from the opening of the Interstate Commerce Commission would result from the opening of its functions. The rate structure which has grown up with the war will remain in effect until changed by ordinary procedure.

WAR AND PEACE BASIS.

"We know a large body of people have a settled conviction that this question can only be successfully settled by government ownership. Their arguments are temporarily at a discount by reason of reaction from all forms of governmental control. But is it the part of statesmanship to recommend a hasty settlement when the public's permanent convictions are suffering a partial eclipse?

They are entitled to have their case considered on its merits and not embarrassed by the abnormal abnormality of conditions of present federal control, after a year of war, huge costs and many inconveniences. Many things done to obtain results at whatever cost to the war, can be done more economically in peace.

"The year 1919 will be one of adjustment; 1920 will probably be normal. Study of the reports of these two years will give basis for genuine legislation, not legislation based on misleading data."

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Oakham, Feb. 3.—Deacon Jesse Allen has been presented an ebony cane with a gold band suitably inscribed in honor of the fact that for the first consecutive time as clerk of the Congregational Church. He has a church and town record unequalled in the State, say the townspeople here. He served as school committeeman and assessor so long he does not remember exactly just how many years he held those offices.

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New York, Feb. 3.—Two transports carrying 3,192 officers and men from the American expeditionary forces, arrived here shortly before noon today. Two others with nearly 5,000 more fighters are due into this afternoon.

The first arrival today was the Samaranda with 278 officers and men, comprising casual companies of Georgia, three officers and eleven enlisted men; casual company 446 of New York comprising 2 officers and 148 men, and thirteen unattached casual officers.

The Agamemnon, formerly the Kaiser Wilhelm of the North German Lloyd line, brought 2,914 officers and men.

The biggest transport due today is the Cedric, with 2,507 officers and 2,391 men, of whom 90 officers and 3,191 men are of the 44th and 60th Regiments of the Tegular Army. All are attached to the air service and most of the others to casual company 224 of Illinois.

40,000 SOLDIERS TO CARE FOR, MAYOR SAYS

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expenses of the year we enter the new year with no balance in the treasury.

"For this condition, which is an injustice to the city, I have offered a remedy in the bill which permits graduated interest rates on deferred tax payments.

"The prospect of increase in real estate valuations seems fairly good. By authority of $600,000 of new debt in 1918 for absolutely necessary sewage works, we have reduced the tax rate by nearly a dollar more than $2,500,000 and have kept alive a good margin of borrowing capacity, which, if used, would provide for 1919 funds on a borrowing capacity of $3,956,552. I am heartily in favor of adopting these recommendations."

NEW MEMBERS SWORN IN.

Balloting for president of the new City Council resulted today in a deadlock after three ballots had been taken.

Daniel W. Lane had four votes, J. W. Ford three and James T. Moriarty two. Five votes are necessary for a choice.

Another ballot will be taken Monday.

Lane had the Good Government support with the exception of Francis J. W. Ford, who voted for himself on the first ballot. With Ford were Edward F. McLaughlin and Daniel J. McDonald. Those who voted for Lane were Joseph A. Conroy, John A. Donoghue, Henry F. Hagan and Lane himself.

The newly elected Councillors, Edward F. McLaughlin, John A. Donoghue and Walter L. Collins, were inducted into office by Mayor Peters in the City Council chamber.

Mrs. Andrew J. Peters, the Mayor's wife, and Mrs. Andrew J. Peters, Jr., the Mayor's mother, were among the spectators.

Ex-Mayors John F. Quinn and Thomas N. Hart were guests of honor.

Councillor John A. Donoghue introduced two orders calling for bond issues amounting to $225,000. One was for a municipal building and the other for a playground in the South End districts.

The first business of the year was the payment of $61,285 interest on the East Boston tunnel bonds, which fell due early. All other business was "passed on" to the next meeting.

FOUR WOUNDED IN LUNCH ROOM FIGHT; ONE DYING

During a struggle in a restaurant at No. 61 Winter street, Quincy, four men were wounded, one perhaps fatally, when a carving knife in the hands of one of the participants, Harris Pierogoulos was arrested on a charge of assaulting Isidore Pardo of No. 86 Howard street with intent to kill. Dimitas Liffas was also taken for disturbing the peace. The wounded men were treated at the Fore River Hospital. Pardos will probably die because of a severed artery in the arm and another on the head.

ASK AID OF WILSON FOR IRISH INDEPENDENCE

New Rochelle, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Resolutions urging President Wilson to aid the cause of Irish Independence at the peace conference are on the way today from the United Irish Societies of Canton, Mass., which unanimous, also requested Congress to help. Supreme Court Justice Cohalan in declaring that the cause of Ireland is given self-determination at the peace conference will have been in vain and may be followed by a worse catastrophe.

SYRIANS ASK FRANCE DIRECT PROTECTORATE

Lawrence, Feb. 3.—Two thousand Syrians at a mass meeting in this city unanimously endorsed the movement to petition the peace conference at Paris to request France to act as guardian of Lebanon and Syria, until such a time as Syria can rule itself.

LEATHER WORKERS FOR 6 MONTHS SOLDIERS' PAY

The six months' pay for discharged service men, as advocated by the Boston American, was unanimously approved at a meeting of the United Leather Workers International Union of America, Woburn Local No. 4.

FIVE ARRESTS IN STRIKE AT LAWRENCE

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remain affiliated with the Central Labor Union.

LOOM FIXERS OUT.

This was contrary to general expectations, as it had been rumored that the loom fixers and other foreign workers would bolt the organization on the ground that it was too "conservative."

The loom fixers were for the most part out on the street, in spite of their previously expressed willingness to go to work.

ABOUT 15,000 OUT.

It is estimated that about 15,000 operatives or nearly half of the entire working force of the dozen big textile plants remained out of work either on strike or through intimidation.

Agents of the Wood, Pacific, Arlington, Everett and other big plants reported that all of the departments were running although it is admitted that only about half of the number of employes reported for work.

Thousands of pickets, many of them wearing cards inscribed "54 hours' wages for 48 hours' work," were on the job today, and when the mill gates opened at 7:15 o'clock. They marching in pairs or groups through the yards, and no effort was followed to loiter or stand.

There were some complaints received from women and girls that their fares were slapped, that they were jostled or that their dinner baskets were snatched from them by strike pickets, practically all of which were forthcoming.

Mill officials expressed confidence that the critical point has been passed, and that before the end of the week most of the operatives would be back to work.

At the meeting held in Libby Hall, Samuel Brandhall was elected as general chairman of the strike committee in place of James R. Mandie. Brandhall is a prominent Socialist. His election is regarded as a personal triumph for Ben Kaplan, secretary of the strike committee.

SIGNIFICANT STRIKE FACTS.

Facts of outstanding significance on this first day of the strike are:

That the mills are open, and the employers plan to keep them open.

That from Boston, secretary of the general strike committee, has repudiated the American Federation of Labor, and declared it will not be consulted in conducting the struggle.

That none of the strike leaders prominent in 1912 are prom nent in the councils of the strikers now.

That Governor Coolidge's "peaceful picketing" will prove to be peaceful, but in fears otherwise.

That the authorities are ready to suppress disorder, wherever it arises, even if it involves bringing State troops.

And that Department of Justice officials are everywhere, ready to report and put down any creeping out of hostility to the United States government.

The meeting of strikers by the police squad was the most exciting event, particularly as it became apparent that the Mayor's proposed counseling resolution had been rejected broadcast among the foreign-born of Lawrence.

Organizer Horace Riviere of the United Textile Workers of America, representing John Golden, president of the union, is expected to return to Lawrence in an attempt to force a policy of moderation.

FOOLED BY LABOR.

What will be the nature of his reception is causing some curiosity. Many of the foreign leaders of Labor, Mr. Golden and other conservative labor bodies came in for bitter attack at the conferences, when Boston representatives of the radicals was declared on.

A telegram from Mr. Golden forbidding or calling any strike here was shown freely by Kaplan, secretary of the strike committee of striking workmen, who laughed at the order, and said he had been fooled by the American Federation of Labor long enough.

PORTUGUESE ROYALIST FORCES DRIVEN BACK

Paris, Feb. 3.—Portuguese Royalist troops are falling back from Estarreja in the direction of Oporto, it was reported from Lisbon today. (Estarreja is twenty-three miles south of Oporto.)

Lisbon is normal, according to information from Oporto, the monarchical flurry are beginning to lose accounts of successes. They claim that the Royalists have declared martial law and that the soldiers are being paid regularly.

BOSTON & MAINE MAY CLOSE SMALL STATIONS

Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 3.—It is reported that the Boston & Maine Railroad is planning to close small stations along the Portsmouth branch of the Southern Division because they do not pay. An investigation showed that agents working as telegraphers were drawing $5 to $6 a day, while the income, in on one case, was only $12 for the whole month.

TWO BREAKS MADE IN BUSINESS DISTRICT

Boys are believed to be responsible for two breaks discovered in downtown buildings during the night. Patrolman Clement of City Hall patrol found the first at No. 132 Federal street, occupied by A. S. Morse, hardware dealer. Some of the booty was scattered in a nearby alley, which included five flashlights, an automobile clock and "jimmy." The other break was at No. 15 Avon street.

To Relieve A Cold In One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.—Adv.

CHEAP AUCTIONS A LURE FOR UNWARY; 'GOLD-FILLED WATCHES' JUNK

BOYS AND SAILORS CHEATED

Add to the high cost of living—cheap auction rooms.

Venturing forth after dark to explore cheap auction rooms in Boston here is what an American reporter saw:

A draughty store on a busy street, its entire front forming a door. Within, an old-fashioned stove on one side; on the other a couple of dingy show cases, containing among other things gold (?) watches.

Facing the show cases, behind which a young man without a collar but with a loud voice was crying his wares, to a gathering of men and boys.

"What am I offered for this tray?" inquired the youthful auctioneer. The tray contained two watches, a chain and a ring.

SAILOR BOY BUYS.

"I am offered eight dollars," he announced, "will anyone give me nine? Nine dollars for these two watches, elegant gold filled cases, guaranteed for ten years?"

"Nine," said a sailor boy, with a gold V on his left sleeve.

"Sold for nine dollars. Right in this way, young man," and the auctioneer pointed to a passageway in the back of the shop, carefully screened from the view of the stand.

There were no bidders on the next tray, containing two watches and other glittering trinkets.

"I will sell the watches separately," announced the auctioneer.

"What am I offered for this fine Waltham watch, gold filled case, guaranteed for ten years? If it's not as represented I will give you your money back."

There were no bidders.

OPENS BIDS AT A QUARTER.

"Will anyone give me a quarter for it?"

The bidding rose gradually to $1.75. The gathering, consisting obviously of strangers to the city, watched and listened with wide-open eyes and mouths.

"Will anyone give me $2.00?"

The American man nodded his head, and got the watch. He was directed into the back room.

In this realm of mystery he found the sailor lad who had purchased the trayful of watches and trinkets for $9 being urged to buy a $21 watch. Apparently the Jackie had already been induced to exchange his trayful of timekeepers for a single watch "of better quality."

The presiding genius of the back chamber, not satisfied with this exchange, was trying hard to separate the sailor from more money. He had a half dozen watches spread out on the counter, and was doing his best to argue the young sailors into exchanging his $9 watch and cash for a "much better article."

TRY TO SELL "GOOD" WATCH.

The villigiante of the rear room lost no time in trying the same process on the American man. Without so much as a blush he declared:

"Why not get a good watch while you are about it. This thing won't keep time. The case is only brass and the works are Swiss. I can give you a good bargain."

The American man demurred on the truthful plea that the "bargain" he had heard so glowingly described as a Waltham watch, guaranteed to run for ten years, had already ceased to run inside of half of ten minutes.

He was joined by another customer, a short, genial gentleman, already sporting two watches—gold ones at that—who explained that he came from Kennebunkport, Me. It appeared he also had bought a "gold watch" for two dollars. Only his ran still.

The back room manager at once got to work on him, meantime pacifying the American man and shouting for an assistant.

Said assistant proved to be the auctioneer himself, who had handed the block over to a substitute and come in to care for the belligerent customer, meaning the American man.

PLAYED GAME OF HIS OWN.

"This is a hot watch," the man from Maine, who evidently had a game of his own to play, was saying, "but I can palm it off on somebody for a couple of dollars more than I paid for it, anyway. I tell you what I'll do. I'll get him to give us a good watch for these two, yours and mine."

Having heard of such transactions and their consequences, the American man continued to kick about his "ten-year guaranteed watch," which wouldn't run.

"We'll fix that for you right away," said the late auctioneer, "step over here. Now, why don't you pay a little more and get a good watch. Here's a beauty for four and a half. No? Would you give four for it? It'll last you for years."

"How good time will this watch keep?" the gent from Maine was asking.

"Oh, it'll keep time," was the reply. "Within a minute?"

"Hardly," replied the backroom gent with a laugh.

TICKED LIKE 1913 AUTO.

"Well here's one that runs, only don't wind it too tight," said the late auctioneer, handing the American man another watch, which ticked with a sound like a 1913 auto in second speed.

The auctioneer hurriedly escorted the American man to the door, and bade him good-night. And as the auctioneer resumed the block to "trim a few more of those born every minute," the reporter slipped his brass watch in his pocket and departed, leaving the sailor laddie still counting his cash to see how much he could give the Hessians, and the man from Maine watching the proceedings with eagle eye.

The watch was taken to the establishment of Thomas Long Company, Summer street jewelers, where it was examined and appraised by experts. "The cheapest watch made," was their decision.

F. S. Harlow, an expert on watches, said it was too cheap a watch for him to set a value on.

MILLIONS SOUGHT BY PEGGY MARSH REST ON COURT DECISION

Peggy Marsh, formerly of Chelsea, and her son, Harry Anthony Marsh. Photographs by International Film Service.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—The interpretation which the Illinois courts may place upon the word "issue" in the will of the late Henry Field may make a difference of millions of dollars to little Harry Anthony Marsh, the son of Peggy Marsh of Chelsea, Mass., and the late Henry Field, one of the heirs to the mammoth $150,000,000 fortune of Marshall Field.

Peggy Marsh was Annabelle Greenough of Chelsea and has admitted that, although she lived with Field and bore him a child, she was never married to him. She has agreed to accept an income for herself and child of $100,000, but this it is said does not clear up the tangle.

It has been brought out in a friendly suit brought by the heirs of Marshall Field, 3d, and his sister, Gwendoline, against the executors of the estate, that in his will the late Marshall Field used the word "issue," with one exception, throughout the document, in referring to the offspring of his grandchildren. In one instance only did he write "lawful issue."

On the technicality involved little Harry Anthony Marsh may come into a full inheritance. Moreover, the "automatic marriage bill," now pending in the Illinois Legislature, may make the little boy a full heir in the estate.

Henry Field would have inherited $70,000,000 to $80,000,000 had he lived to be fifty years old. His share goes to his brother. The contract entered into between Henry Field and Peggy Marsh was in part as follows:

"Ten thousand dollars a year until the child shall be five years old.

"Twelve thousand, five hundred dollars a year until the child shall be ten years old.

"Fifteen thousand dollars a year thereafter.

"This income is to be paid in monthly instalments for the education and benefit of the child."

In the contract Henry Field further agreed to take out a life insurance policy of $100,000 for the benefit of Miss Marsh. On his death she was to get $20,000 in cash and the remaining $80,000 was to be used for a fund in protection of the child.

In lieu of life insurance, Field was permitted by the contract to set up a trust fund of $100,000.

On her part Miss Marsh agreed to make no further claims upon Field nor to attempt to get into communication with him.

Bare Legs and Low Necks Barred at Atlantic City

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 3.—There are no bathers scampering playfully on the sands of Atlantic City's beach now—that is, nobody but a few Virginia Avenue "Polar Bears." The liquor question has been settled nationally and the removal of heavy snow falls have not worried the city commissioners, so they have turned their attention to a 1919 bathing tog decree for women. They forbid:

Bare legs.
Low necks.
Short skirts.
Men's one-piece bathing suits.
Flesh colored stockings or half hose.

It is intimated that the decree may be modified later—along about July 1.

He Stepped on Mary Garden's Draperies! Oh, O'Sullivan!

New York, Feb. 3.—What did Mary do to John?

That's what is vexing the curious in the vicinity of the Lexington Theatre where Mary Garden, the prima donna, and John O'Sullivan, the Irish tenor of the Chicago opera company, appeared together in "Thais" Saturday.

What John did to Mary was aplenty. When she sailed upon the stage in her almost regal costume as Thais, O'Sullivan, as Nicias, got one of his number ten feet upon the hem of Mary's wonderful train, and with a rr-i-ppp the rear part of Miss Garden's draperies slid away.

The audience laughed uproariously. O'Sullivan flushed beneath his makeup. If Miss Garden hadn't been in the middle of a song she would have expressed herself in her well known vigorous fashion. Somehow she finished, being careful not to turn her back to the audience. O'Sullivan picked up the remnants of the costume and followed her off apologizing under his breath.

"Come into my room," hissed the primano donna. O'Sullivan bravely followed her in. The other opera singers clustered outside, but all they could hear were excited tones and then a sound which was singularly like a smack of an open palm against a cheek.

John O'Sullivan emerged in a hurry, but he refused to be interviewed as to what had occurred. And the two stars sang the rest of the opera back to back.

HELD FOR ATTEMPTED BREAK IN SOMERVILLE

John Graham, thirty-seven, of No. 7 Gladstone street, Cambridge, was held in $500 in the Somerville court today on a charge of attempting to break and enter the auto salesroom of Edwin L. Holman, No. 45 Day street, West Somerville.

REPORTS SOLDIER DEAD, DEMANDS $54 OF WIFE

Mrs. Maud E. Powers of No. 12 Highland avenue, Roxbury, wife of Private Maurice C. Powers of Co. K, 101st Infantry, has been presented a bill for fifty-four dollars by the War Risk Insurance Bureau of the Treasury Department as the result of the reported death of her husband on June 6. The demand is for reimbursement for an overpaid allotment. Last Saturday she received a letter from her husband in France. He said he hoped soon to be home. This is only one of several letters received since his reported death.

ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL SUBSCRIPTIONS SOUGHT

New York, Feb. 3.—Subscriptions for a memorial to Theodore Roosevelt are called for by the Roosevelt Permanent Memorial National Committee. The committee will include William H. Taft, Charles E. Hughes, Henry Cabot Lodge, Hiram W. Johnson, Governors Allen of Kansas and Beeckman of Rhode Island, Coleman du Pont, Cardinal Gibbons and William Dean Howells.

SUFFRAGISTS PLAN BIG WELCOME FOR WILSON

Washington, Feb. 3.—Suffragists are planning a big demonstration at New York when President Wilson's ship docks on his return from Europe. Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the National Woman's Party, is in New York today to meet with suffragist leaders there to arrange for the demonstration.

Local Brevities

The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Lexington Committee of the Boy Scouts of America will be held in [illegible] Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

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News of the death of Mrs. Frances [illegible] Babcock, a former well-known resident of Lexington, has been received. She died suddenly in the home of her only son, Frederick, in Madison, Ohio. Mr. Babcock was postmaster and druggist here for many years.

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Ensign Harvey M. Anthony, in charge of the naval aircraft work at the Harvard Radio School, has been placed on the inactive list and has left for his home in Muncie, Ind. The ensign's mother, Mrs. Harvey Anthony, achieved fame by appearing at President Taft's inaugural ball in slippers with heels encased with diamonds.

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Dr. Joseph Devenny of No. 2 King street, Dorchester, has returned from Camp Zachary Taylor, where he served in the base hospital as consulting physician.

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The officers of the First Naval District will give a ball in honor of the commandant of the district, Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, Mrs. Wood and Miss Wood, at the Naval Radio School drill hall, Cambridge, Friday evening.

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The special session of the Harvard Law School opened today and registration will be permitted until February 15. The session, which will end on August 30, will be open only to men returning from service. A large enrolment is expected.

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Because of the dropping of a number of freight trains, twenty-five engineers on the Portland division of the Boston & Maine Railroad have been set back as firemen.

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Owing to the crowded condition at the Naval Hospital in Chelsea fifty wounded and sick naval men have been transferred to the Portsmouth Naval Hospital.

BOSTON BOY HITS AT TREATMENT OVERSEAS

Given Unfit Food and Guarded at St. Nazaire, Says Former Member of 76th

The following letter, delivered in a [illegible] by a sailor from an American transport which arrived in this port on Friday, was written to the reporter's brother, a Boston boy, who went overseas with the [illegible] Infantry of the 76th Division.

The letter is most significant, showing the treatment which has been accorded even the men of the two New England divisions, the 26th and the 76th.

The same complaints have been apparently made by "goats" of the army in the treatment of many soldiers and officers not only from the divisions in question, but from divisions as far West as the Pacific coast. These facts have been told to correspondents by many officers and enlisted men who have met the returning troops from overseas.

The letter follows:

"We have been in St. Nazaire now for thirty-three days, and there is not one of us that would not prefer to be in a penitentiary in the United States. There are not many of the Camp Devens crowd left here. Many of them have been sent to other seaports and some are with the Army of Occupation. While I went over with the 301st Infantry, I am now with the [illegible] Stevedore Battalion. This is a [illegible] and the treatment we get is rotten.

SAYS FOOD IS UNFIT.

"When we first got here we were given three square meals a day and a two days' rest. Then we were fitted out with slickers, sou'westers and hip boots—very essential, as it has rained for twenty-seven days out of thirty-three. Some of us have been given jobs as longshoremen, some as clerks, some as checkers.

"I am a checker and work from 6 p. m. until 3 a. m. I get eighty-eight cents a night. The food is not fit for a dog and we all buy our meals at the Red Cross, where you can get a good meal for twenty-five cents. We used to get twenty-four hours' leave occasionally, then they cut us down to four hours, and now we get no leave at all.

"We have to march down to work like so many prisoners and when, one night, forty of us ducked this formation and walked alone we were courtmartialled and fined one-third of a month's pay. They have now increased the punishment to a fine of two-thirds of a month's pay and one month in the 'brig.' Can you beat it?

"Well, we stood for all this abuse and poor food until we all decided to write home and let everyone know what a raw deal we were getting. After reading our letters the censor reported them and we were told not to write anything about this camp and that the 'inspector-general' would meet us all the next day at 9 a. m. Well, we all lined up in the company street, about 700 strong, but he did not show up, so we are no better off.

GUARDED BY TROOPS.

"To make things still worse they have built a 10-foot fence around the camp and now it is known all over as 'Prison Camp No. 4.' At first they put white men to guard us and these fellows were all right; they turned their backs when we cut the barbed wire. Now, however, there is a bunch of negro guards with guns, ready to shoot if any one gets out.

"And yet, you must remember, we are not prisoners. We are not under arrest. I do not suppose you people at home will believe that these conditions exist. I only wish you could come to St. Nazaire and see."

SEEK TO HAVE U. S. TAKE PROPERTY AT NEWPORT

Newport, R. I., Feb. 3.—Letters have been forwarded to Secretary of the Navy Daniels, United States Senator Gerry and Congressman O'Shaunessy, by the Narragansett Bay Realty Company, urging them to support the project for the payment of money for that part of Coddington Point sold to the government, now that the deed for the land is ready to be passed. Under the plan arranged the government is to give $180,000 and the city of Newport to add $50,000, and although the building activities for the navy there have been extensive, the land has not actually been turned over.

SHERIFF RESIGNS AT 84; SERVED 57 YEARS

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 3.—Faithfully serving the State of Vermont for fifty-seven consecutive years in the capacity of an officer of the law, Sheriff Enos C. Fish of this city has resigned his office at the age of eighty-four years. Sheriff Fish was appointed a constable of his home town, Ira, in 1862, and was made deputy sheriff in 1877. When first appointed his duties included the rounding up of many draft evaders in the Civil War.

DE PALMA TRAINING FOR $2\frac{1}{2}$ MILES A MINUTE

Daytona, Fla., Feb. 3.—Ralph de Palma, in a "mystery car," is using Daytona Beach for trials in preparation for his attempt to hang up a new record of two and a half miles a minute or better. The car has a specially designed chassis after the stream-lined construction of a chassis airplane fuselage. It is equipped with a twelve-cylinder V-type aviation motor. De Palma wears a head covering so lined as to eliminate 100 pounds resistance at high speed.

JEWS PROTEST MEAT PRICES IN PROVIDENCE

Providence, Feb. 3.—About 2,000 Jewish residents of the North End of this city protested against the high prices of kosher meats at a mass meeting arranged by the Hebrew Protective Association.

VAST QUESTIONS COMING BEFORE PARLIAMENT

Body Which Convenes Tomorrow to Thresh Out Most Momentous Issues in History

By International News Service.

London, Feb. 3.—When Parliament convenes tomorrow it will face the most famous program of reconstruction since the days of the Napoleonic wars.

Vast consequences depend upon the solution of the national and international problems which will confront it. Among the questions to be threshed out are the following:

1—Labor troubles and the coal supply.

2—Demobilization of the army.

3—Growing unemployment and the housing of soldiers on farms.

4—Industrial competition between men and women workers.

5—The Sinn Fein situation in Ireland.

In a few days the thirty-first Parliament of the United Kingdom will be the most unusual in the history of British politics. This will be a Parliament in which one constituent part of the kingdom—Ireland—will be totally unrepresented except for a handful of Ulster Unionists.

There will be 73 vacant seats representing various constituencies in Ireland where the Sinn Fein is in control.

Another anomaly is that the members were elected in the first national balloting in which women participated and one woman—Countess Markiewicz—was elected. As she is a Sin Feiner, however, she will not take her seat.

The coalition—supporters of the Lloyd George government—will go into the new session with a majority of 329, but whether it will remain adhesive is a grave question.

Labor is going to play a strong role as a result of the present spasms of industrial strife which are sweeping the country. Representatives of the workers are going into Parliament with a big and important program.

FIND HYDE PARK WOMAN'S BODY IN NEPONSET RIVER

After dragging the Neponset river bottom with grappling hooks, the body of Mrs. Nellie D. Kerwin, forty, of No. 8 Station street, Hyde Park, who disappeared Friday night, was recovered by the police. It was brought to the surface within twenty yards of her home.

Mrs. Kerwin, who had been in ill health for some time, kissed her children good-bye late Friday night and said she was going to meet her husband, who had been delayed. He arrived about ten minutes after his wife left the house. He could find no trace of her and appealed to the police.

JEWS PROTEST PASSAGE OF IMMIGRATION BILL

New York, Feb. 3.—A protest against the Burnett immigration bill, pending before the House of Representatives, was voiced here at a meeting of delegates representing 415 Jewish organizations with a total membership of 65,000. The bill closes the doors of America to immigrants for four years.

Mother Offers Eyes to Her Blinded Soldier Son

By International News Service.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 3.—A pathetic example of sacrificing mother love brought to light by the war was revealed today by the local Red Cross. It was that of a mother who would have her eyes transferred to the sockets of her son who had been blinded in battle. Only the impossibility of the surgical feat prevented the operation.

Mrs. Margaret Wasy, of South Troy, is the mother-martyr. She had read that a rabbit's eye had been transferred to the head of a man through a surgical miracle, and convinced herself that her boy could regain his sight by use of her eyes. She told the Red Cross secretary she had worn a bandage about her eyes for more than a week in preparation for the life of blindness she saw ahead of her.

Red Cross workers said the woman seemed heartbroken when told that her sacrifice could not be made. The son James is 17. He was blinded in the fighting on September 2 last.

LYNN COAL MEN SCORED BY LABOR

Lynn coal dealers were condemned by representatives of organized labor at a meeting of the Chamber of Labor to protest against the prices charged by local dealers to the city. Mayor Walter H. Creamer has incurred the displeasure of the coal "barons" by contracting with a Boston dealer to supply the city's schools and other public institutions here.

By the terms of this contract, Lynn gets coal from the Boston dealer for $7.20 per ton, as against the $10.50 charged by Lynn dealers to the city. The Lynn dealers entered a protest against the city's buying its coal from outside concerns, while local dealers are left with a large supply on their hands.

The coal bought by the Mayor in Boston is so-called "rail coal," while that stored by the Lynn dealers is brought here by water. They claim that the latter method of transportation is more costly.

The Chamber of Labor also recommended that the city erect and maintain a hospital to be supported by residents and organized labor. They registered a protest against policies of the present Lynn Hospital, which is privately controlled and supported by public funds. The contract system of doing city repair work, sewer laying, etc., was condemned.

27TH DIVISION TO SAIL FOR HOME THIS MONTH

Washington, Feb. 3.—Transportation home for the Twenty-Seventh Division, composed of New York former national guardsmen, will be available about February 20, according to an estimate made by General Harbord, in charge of embarkation in France, it was announced by the War Department this afternoon.

CHARGE STATE OFFICER AIDED GAMBLERS

Swore at Governor Beeckman During His "Vice" and "Dive" Investigation

Providence, Feb. 3.—For telling Governor Beeckman to "go to ——," a member of the General Assembly is said to have started a political row which may cause the ousting of State officials who are charged with protecting a gambling house. Governor Beeckman is said to have given High Sheriff Jonathan Andrews an opportunity to do his duty or show cause why he should not vacate the office.

The row started, it is learned, when complaints were made to the Governor that women "runners" made their headquarters in a hotel lobby and coaxed "dupes" by taxi to a Thornton gambling house, credited with being the best fitted in New England. Other complaints are said to have reached the Governor that this city was never so wide open and that drug addicts conduct "parties" at which young girls participate.

A member of the General Assembly was called before the Governor and questioned as to the correctness of the gambling charge. The man is said to have ended the interview by telling the Governor where he could go.

High Sheriff Jonathan Andrews, the next official to appear before the chief executive, has promised to close the gambling establishment. It is understood that Governor Beeckman is going to ask the impeachment of State officials who are said to be in league with proprietors of illegal establishments.

At police headquarters nothing is known of the alleged complaints against women and young girls acting as runners for underworld haunts and holding forth in a hotel lobby here.

A. F. OF L. TO ORGANIZE CHINESE LAUNDRYMEN

The American Federation of Labor will attempt to organize the Chinese laundrymen of Greater Boston. Such action is the direct result of the war, as the foundation of the union will be laid among those Chinamen who have become citizens through the selective draft. The campaign will be conducted by Frank H. McCarthy.

FRACTURES SKULL IN FALL FROM LYNN TRAIN

Joseph Guertin, a shoe worker of No. 24 Brownsville avenue, Lynn, is on the danger list at Lynn City Hospital with a fractured skull, caused by a fall from a Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad train. Guertin was going from one car to another near Oak Island, the police say, when his hat blew off. He lost his balance in reaching for it and fell off.

DESPONDENT SHIP AGENT TAKES LIFE BY HANGING

Gloucester, Feb. 3. — Despondency due to ill health caused Stephen W. Dodge, local agent of the Boston and Gloucester Steamship Company, to commit suicide here by hanging.

He leaves a widow and two sons, one of whom is with the American Expeditionary Force.

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BIG DISCREPANCIES SHOWN IN COOLIDGE CORNER FOOD PRICES

LOW RATES BY CHAIN STORE

Other Dealers in Brookline District Ask High Figures for Commodities

Continued from First Page.

storage eggs was 40-41 cents per dozen.

Some stores advertise themselves only a few points higher than chain stores in Boston, for example, offered fresh eggs at 45 cents a dozen until Saturday, when they raised the price to 50 cents a dozen over the wholesale price.

But almost all the stores have raised the price of fresh eggs clear up to 50 cents a dozen.

COOLIDGE CORNER PRICES.

Startling discrepancies between prices charged in Coolidge Corner and those in another street entirely today.

For example, in the Coolidge Corner district of Brookline, as in Boston, butter is selling at 55 cents a pound. Just around the corner, in Harvard street, Brookline, butter is selling at 48 cents a pound.

There are many such differences in prices in all parts of the city today. In fact, there is no store that is not charging more than some other store in the same district. Some stores seem to be actually trying to see how much they can get away with, while others are content with a reasonable profit.

The chain store, as in other cities, is the one against forty odd cases of which a complaint has been made by the Office.

But the chain store, as the other kinds of stores, is selling fresh eggs and cheese, with a nearby store selling it for 55 cents.

CHANGES SINCE SATURDAY.

The difference in wholesale prices on the Boston Fruit & Produce Exchange for butter and eggs today and Saturday and the difference in retail prices on butter and eggs in the Brookline stores today and Saturday ran as follows:

Store	Print Tub Fresh eggs	Print Tub Fresh eggs
Wholesale	49 52 63	48 52 63
City	55 — 70	55 — 70
Brighton	55 — 70	55 — 70
Coolidge Corner	55 — 70	55 — 70
Allston	55 — 70	55 — 70
Brookline Village	55 — 70	55 — 70
Brookline	55 — 70	55 — 70
Jamaica Plain	55 — 70	55 — 70
Roslindale	55 — 70	55 — 70
Newton	55 — 70	55 — 70
Waltham	55 — 70	55 — 70
Wellesley	55 — 70	55 — 70
Watertown	55 — 70	55 — 70
Somerville	55 — 70	55 — 70
Charlestown	55 — 70	55 — 70
East Boston	55 — 70	55 — 70
Malden	55 — 70	55 — 70
Dorchester (1)	55 — 70	55 — 70
Dorchester (2)	55 — 70	55 — 70
Melrose	55 — 70	55 — 70
Chelsea	55 — 70	55 — 70
Winthrop	55 — 70	55 — 70

* No fresh eggs offered.

EGGS HIGHER AT RETAIL.

In the retail distributing today compare with the changes in wholesale prices just previous. While a break in wholesale prices today was expected and prepared for, a corresponding break in retail prices it would seem could not be honestly looked for, and the consumer is finding the retail market unchanged.

The wholesale price of fresh eggs Saturday was up to 50 cents per dozen, a break of 5 cents a dozen for fresh eggs.

Export Restrictions on Foodstuffs Lifted by War Trade Board

Washington, Feb. 3.—The most sweeping removal of foodstuffs embargoes upon exportation since the signing of the armistice is announced by the War Trade Board.

Under the order the following essential foodstuffs are removed from the export embargo list, to-day:

Barley, including the flour and meals thereof; oats and oats products, including grains, bran and middlings; beans, peas, sugar and hydrogenated oils.

Not only were restrictions on these commodities removed, but it was announced that export licenses would be freely granted for all destinations.

Grocers in the Middle West and on the Pacific coast, especially in California, are especially interested in the War Trade Board's announcement, as they say that the embargo acts for the barley growers of those sections. In California alone there are 600,000 tons of barley stored from last year's harvest, with a new crop coming on in June. The bottom was threatening to drop out of the market, they say, unless the embargo has an optimistic view of things now.

SETTLES $25 TREPASS SUIT AFTER 14 YEARS

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 3.—Fourteen years ago Carrie Boyce of this city entered suit to recover damages from N. H. Demeritt, a farmer of Barre, because of an alleged trespass committed by the latter in which several trees of the plaintiff were cut down. After years of litigation judgment has been entered in a final decree issued by the bench of Washington County Court for the sum of $25 to the plaintiff.

Hayes' Healing Honey

Stops the Tickle, Heals the Throat and Cures the Cough. Price 25c. A free box of HAYES' HEALING HONEY for Cough or Sore Throat is enclosed with every 25c.—Advt.

Housewives' Price List

Date Feb. 3, 1919

Name of store.....

Address.....

	RETAIL PRICE	TODAY'S WHOLESALE PRICE
PRINT BUTTER		49
TUB BUTTER		48
FRESH EGGS		40-44
STORAGE EGGS		35-38
PLAIN CHEESE		34
LARD		22¾

(Signed) Name of customer or store.

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Please send at once to the Editor of the Boston American

Here Are Some Retail Prices Charged to Housewives

Here are some of the retail prices charged housewives in Boston stores today. The food administration announced Friday night that it allowed margins of but seven to eight cents a dozen on fresh and storage eggs.

HOUSEWIVES' PRICE LIST.

February 3, 1919.

Name of store, H. P. Hood & Sons. Address, all creameries.

	Retail price.	Wholesale price.
Print butter	54	49
Tub butter	54	48
Fresh eggs	60	40-44
Storage eggs	56	35-38
Plain cheese	37	34
Lard	29	22¾

(Signed) H. P. HOOD & SONS.

February 3, 1919.

Name of store, The Mohican Market. Address, 96 Washington street, Brookline.

	Retail price.	Wholesale price.
Print butter	55	49
Tub butter	52	48
Fresh eggs	55	40-44
Storage eggs	none	35-38
Plain cheese	41	34
Lard	28	22¾

(Signed) B. S. GROOM, Supt.

February 3, 1919.

Name of store, Rose Tea Importing Company. Addresses, 88 Union street, 63 Elm street, 318 Washington street and 25 Dock square.

	Retail price.	Wholesale price.
Print butter	—	49
Tub butter	52	48
Fresh eggs	55	40-44
Storage eggs	—	35-38
Plain cheese	37	34
Lard	27	22¾

(Signed) ROSE TEA IMPORTING COMPANY, By L. E. Rose.

February 3, 1919.

Name of store, Corey Hill Market. Address, 1296 Beacon street, Brookline.

	Retail price.	Saturday's wholesale price.
Print butter	58	49
Fresh eggs	65	40-50
Plain cheese	42	36
Lard	32	22¾

(Signed) W. S. STEVENS.

February 3, 1919.

Name of store, Morgan Brothers. Address, 1349 Beacon street.

	Retail price.	Saturday's wholesale price.
Print butter	58	49
Tub butter	64	48
Fresh eggs	68	40-50
Plain cheese	37	36
Lard	32	22¾

(Signed) E. V. HAMION, 33 Woodville street.

The proprietor of the Beacon Market, Beacon street, in the Coolidge Corner section, was asked by an American reporter today to quote his current retail prices on butter, cheese, eggs and lard.

He replied: "I see no reason why I should give prices to the American. My prices are for my customers only, and they are satisfied.

How the Prices Run in Suburban Stores on Four-Day Basis

Retail prices on butter, eggs, cheese and lard in other Boston suburbs today, with comparison with prices last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, were as follows:

CAMBRIDGE.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	54	58	58	60
Tub butter	54	57	58	60
Fresh eggs	70	75	70	70
Storage eggs	49-56	49-56	49-56	49-56
Plain cheese	50	50	50	50
Yng. Am. cheese	40	40	40	40
Lard	29	29	29	29

SOUTH BOSTON.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thurs.
Print butter	57	65		68
Tub butter	56		58-60	60-62
Fresh eggs	70-64	74-65		74
Storage eggs	48			55-60
Plain cheese	40	40		40
Young Am. cheese	40	40		40
Lard	30	32		30-32

EAST BOSTON.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thurs.
Print butter	60	60		70
Tub butter	57	58		69
Fresh eggs	80	80		80
Storage eggs	55	55		55
Plain cheese	—	—		—
Young Am. cheese	42	42		42
Lard	32	32		32

DORCHESTER (2).

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	54	65-69	68	68
Tub butter	54	54	54	54
Fresh eggs	68	68	68	68
Storage eggs	55	55	55	55
Plain cheese	37	37	37-39	37
Young Am. cheese	38	37		37
Lard	32	32	32	32

WALTHAM.

	Today.	Sat.	Friday.
Print butter	59	59	65
Tub butter	55	54	57
Fresh eggs	70	75	—
Storage eggs	52	55	60
Plain cheese	40	41	43
Ymg Am. cheese	40	43	43
Lard	30	29	27-35

NEWTON.

	Today.	Sat.	Friday.
Print butter	66	68	70
Tub butter	58	66	66
Fresh eggs	75	78	80
Storage eggs	62	62	—
Plain cheese	42	45	45
Yng. Am. cheese	42	45	45
Lard	32	32	35

WELLESLEY.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.
Print butter	65	69	—
Tub butter	60	65	65
Fresh eggs	74	76	80
Storage eggs	62	62	70
Plain cheese	41	44	45
Yng. Am. cheese	41	44	45
Lard	32	32	35

WATERTOWN.

	Today.	Sat.	Friday.
Print butter	64	65	72
Tub butter	60	60	68
Fresh eggs	75	75	75
Storage eggs	60	60	60
Plain cheese	40	42	42
Yng. Am. cheese	40	42	42
Lard	32	34	35

ROSLINDALE.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thurs.
Print butter	56	58	62	
Tub butter	54	55	60	
Fresh eggs	—	70	70	
Storage eggs	48	50	50	
Plain cheese	38	40	45	
Yg. Am. cheese	40	45	45	
Lard	30	30	32	

MELROSE.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thurs.
Print butter	60	65	65	
Tub butter	60	60	65	
Fresh eggs	75	75	75	
Storage eggs	60	60	65	
Plain cheese	42	45	45	
Yg. Am. cheese	40	45	45	
Lard	30	30	32	

MALDEN.

	Today and Sat.
Print butter	62
Tub butter	60
Fresh eggs	70
Storage eggs	58
Plain cheese	45
Young America cheese	45
Lard	32

CHELSEA.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	55	57	59	57
(One grade).				
Fresh eggs	75	80	80	80
Storage eggs	65	65	65	65
Plain cheese	38	38	38	38
Ymg Am. cheese	38	38	38	38
Lard	32	32	32	32

WINTHROP.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	and Thurs.
Print butter (1st grade)				63
Fresh eggs				80
Storage eggs				60
Cheese (one grade)				43
Lard				32

JAMAICA PLAIN.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	—	68	72	72
Tub butter	—	60	70	70
Fresh eggs	70	75	75	75

Wholesale and Retail Food Prices

OFFICIAL WHOLESALE PRICES FROM BOSTON FRUIT AND PRODUCE EXCHANGE

	Print butter	Tub butter	Fresh eggs	Storage eggs	Cheese	Lard
Last Tuesday	53	52	63	45-48	36	23¼
Saturday	49	48	49-50	40-43	38	23¼
Today	49	48	40-44	35-38	34	22¾
6-day difference	off 4	off 4	off 19-23	off 10	off 2	off 3/8

CITY AND SUBURBAN RETAIL PRICES

BUTTER PRICES

	Brighton Print	Brighton Tub	Coolidge Corner Print	Coolidge Corner Tub	Allston Print	Allston Tub	City Print	City Tub
Last Tuesday	65	65	75	72	75	69	72	70
Saturday	67 (one price)		69 (one price)		75	59	60	58
Today	67 (one price)		69 (one price)		75	69	66	60

EGG PRICES

	Brighton Fresh	Brighton Storage	Coolidge Corner Fresh	Coolidge Corner Storage	Allston Fresh	Allston Storage	City Fresh	City Storage
Last Tuesday	79	—	80 (one price)		75 (one price)		80	58
Saturday	70	—	73 (one price)		69 (one price)		68	52
Today	70	—	70 (one price)		69 (one price)		69	55

CHEESE PRICES

(Plain and Young America)

	Brighton Plain	Brighton Y. A.	Coolidge Corner Plain	Coolidge Corner Y. A.	Allston Plain	Allston Y. A.	City Plain	City Y. A.
Last Tuesday	43	43	42	45	45	45	37	40
Saturday	35	38	42	45	45	45	37	40
Today	35	—	42	45	45	45	42	44

LARD PRICES

	Brighton	Coolidge Corner	Allston	City
Last Tuesday	32	37½	30	36
Saturday	33	34	30	33
Today	33	34	30	33

Plain cheese	47	52	45	42
Ymg Am. cheese	47	52	45	42
Lard	32	32	30	30

DORCHESTER (1).

	Today and Sat.	Friday.	Thurs.
Print butter	62	66	76
Tub butter	61	65	66
Fresh eggs	75	75	75
Storage eggs	56	56	56
Plain cheese	37	37	37
Yng. Am. cheese	37	37	37
Lard	32	33	34

Plain cheese	47	52	45	42
Yng. Am. cheese	47	52	45	42
Lard	32	32	30	30

BROOKLINE VILLAGE.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	64	64	75	75
Tub butter	62	62	70	70
Fresh eggs	75-80	75-80	—	—
Storage eggs	58-60	58-60	—	—
Plain cheese	45	44	46	46

Yng. Am. cheese	27	...	...	...
Lard	29	29	29	

ROXBURY.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	62	62	65-70	70
Tub butter	59	57	65	65
Fresh eggs	63	75-80	70-75	70-75
Storage eggs	55-65	58	65	65
Plain cheese	40	40	40	40
Ymg Am. cheese	40	40	40	40
Lard	30	32	32	32

Yng. Am. cheese	40	40	38	42
Lard	33	33	35	35

SOMERVILLE.

	Today.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.
Print butter	65	65	68	68
Tub butter	60	60	65	60
Fresh eggs	70	70	70	70
Storage eggs	60	60	62	62
Plain cheese	42	46	—	—
Storage eggs	58-65	58	65	65
Ymg Am. cheese	42	42	—	—
Lard	32	32	32	32

Tendency to Constipation?

USE THIS LAXATIVE!

Dietitians advise a "careful diet," but that is troublesome to most people; physical culturists advise "certain exercises," which is good if one has both the time and the inclination. Doctors advise diet and *exercise and medicine.* The question is, shall it be a cathartic or purgative medicine? Or a mild, gentle laxative?

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HOLD FUNERAL SERVICES FOR GOODWIN

Famous Comedian Buried from Home of His Parents in Roxbury

Funeral services for Nat Goodwin, the celebrated actor who died from a breakdown in New York, were held this afternoon from the home of his parents at No. 72 Forrest street, Roxbury. By request of the former author's aged mother, the funeral was strictly private, only relatives and intimate friends being in attendance.

The simple Episcopal ritual was read by the Rev. Kenneth Forbes, rector of St. James' Episcopal Church, Roxbury. The body was taken to the Milton Cemetery, where it was placed in the family lot beside that of Nat's brother, Edward, the tragedian, who died ten years ago.

Accompanying the remains of the body of the comedian from the Lambs' Club, New York, where services were held Saturday afternoon, was Miss Georgia Gardner of Los Angeles, member of the "Why Marry?" company, in which Goodwin was last starring when he was stricken; together with Mr. Knight, representing the Lambs' Club, and Jennie Morris, faithful colored servant, who had been in Goodwin's employ for many years.

The remains of the comedian reposed in a mahogany casket, covered with a blanket of violets from the Lambs, in the parlor of his parents' home, where hundreds of persons paid their respects. There was also a mound of roses, resting on the casket, which was sent by Selwyn and Company, theatrical managers of New York city.

Messages of condolences of the many friends of the actor continue to pour into the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel C. Goodwin, father and mother of the dead actor, who are eighty-five and eighty-one years respectively.

THIEF WRECKS $4,000 AUTO, THEN ABANDONS IT

Providence, Feb. 3.—A $4,000 limousine, stolen from Union and Washington streets, the property of Jennie B. Pinkham of No. 506 Webster avenue, Lynn, was located in a damaged condition thirty-two miles from here in the woods at Greene by the police today. Mrs. Pinkham left the car while visiting her brother, Daniel M. Pinkham of College street. The thief ran the machine into a tree, badly damaging it, and then abandoned it.

PROTEST GAS TANKS IN THE NORTH END DISTRICT

Joseph A. Lagone, a North End business man, presented a resolution at the annual State convention of the Republican Columbus Club of Massachusetts in the American House, protesting against the presence of the gas tanks in the North End district. He referred to the recent molasses tank explosion as a warning what might happen again.

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A Simple, Safe and Reliable Way. No Pain or Soreness

Thanks to a new discovery made from a Japanese product women will soon be wearing smaller and prettier shoes than ever. Corns are to be a thing of the past. A new preparation, called Ice-Mint, is said to make any corn or callous shrivel right up and lift off easily. Hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes can be lifted right out root and all after a touch or two of Ice-Mint. It's wonderful. No pain and not a bit of soreness while applying it or afterwards. People are warned to stop cutting and trimming their corns and avoid the risk of blood poison. Simply get a few cents' worth of Ice-Mint from your druggist, and from the very second that it touches that sore, tender corn your poor, tired, aching feet will feel as cool, easy and comfortable that you will just sigh with relief. Think of it—just a little touch of this cooling, soothing Ice-mint and real foot joy is yours. It is the real Japanese secret of this. Watch little feet, and is highly appreciated by women who wear high heel shoes and men who have to stand on their feet all day.

ACID IN STOMACH SOURS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, waterbrash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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GOLDEN APPLE TO GOTHAM'S MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN

Miss Edith Hyde (Mrs. Edith Hyde Robbins), awarded the golden apple, symbolizing the most beautiful woman in New York. The prize was awarded at the Chu Chin Hall by five of the leading artists of the country. Copyright by International Film Service.

MISS HYDE WINS GRAND BEAUTY PRIZE

Painter's Daughter Awarded Golden Apple at the Chu Chin Ball

New York, Feb. 3.—The golden apple symbolizing the most beautiful woman in New York is in the prized possession of Miss Edith Hyde, daughter of Raymond Hyde, the landscape painter. Five of New York's foremost artists, originators of "girl and beauty" types, selected Miss Hyde from hundreds of contestants for the honor at the Chu Chin ball in the Hotel des Artistes, and to her awarded the apple of beauty, an exact reproduction of the famous apple awarded in the ancient Judgment of Paris.

Five unbidden beauties appeared in the final procession of prize winners as the result of someone "lifting" five white badges from the box of trophies carried by Penrhyn Stanlaws.

The award was made to Miss Hyde after a deliberation of nine hours by the five artist judges, Penrhyn Stanlaws, James Montgomery Flagg, Howard Chandler Christy, Harrison Fisher and Charles Dana Gibson. In addition fifty red ribbons, twenty-five white ribbons, ten blue ribbons and five silver ribbons were awarded.

In private life Miss Hyde is Mrs. Edith Hyde Robbins of No. 228 West Seventieth street. In 1914 she divorced her husband, Clarence A. ("Pat") Robbins, clubman, traveler and athlete, with whom she eloped when she was sixteen years old. She has two children.

Hageman Garage Burned

Mamaroneck, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Fire early today destroyed the garage and stable of the country estate of John R. Hageman, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, at Orienta Point. The loss was $75,000.

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Provide Clothes and Food for Balkan Sufferers

Washington, Feb. 3.—Distress, as a result of the war, is greater in the Balkans than in any other part of Europe, with the exception of Poland, according to a statement issued by the American Red Cross.

The facts, with reference to conditions throughout Europe, were obtained by the American Red Cross Commission to Europe, the statement says.

A Red Cross operating commission has already been sent to the Balkans, the statement adds, and the work of providing food and clothing for those stricken populations is to be done by the various European governments, either individually or collectively.

Large quantities of supplies, accumulated against possible needs during hostilities in France and Italy, are to be drawn upon for distribution in the Balkans, the statement says.

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HOSPITAL UNIT COMING BACK TO BOSTON SOON

The Massachusetts General Hospital Unit, composed almost entirely of graduates of the Harvard Medical School, has been relieved of duty overseas and is now awaiting transportation to this country. The officer members of the unit will be released from service before leaving for America. Several of the doctors are taking advantage of this to go to the Balkan States for Red Cross work. Dr. Elliott Washburn, former head of the unit, is still engaged in hospital work in England.

PUT OFF HEARING ON BROOKLINE AUTO DEATH

Harris E. Notman, driver of the automobile that knocked down and killed six-year-old Julia E. Merifrai in front of the Brookline library Saturday night, was in Brookline Court today and was released under bonds for a hearing Friday. Meanwhile an inquest into the death of the girl will be held. Notman lives at No. 1636 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge.

Five Drowned Skating

Jackson, Mich., Feb. 3.—While skating at Vandercook's Lake three boys and two girls, all members of prominent Jackson families, were drowned when the ice gave way. The dead: Leonard Watts, eighteen; Ralph Watts, sixteen; Loraine Adams, Percy Richardson and Caroline Probert.

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In England alone—where a million men who went to fight will never come back—there are 600,000 girls who have lost the chance of marriage. What will they do—go on working? And think of the widows—400,000 of them!

At the end of 1918 there were 1,550,000 women in England replacing men—running everything from printing presses to elevators—cheap workers as well as good. Will they give up their jobs? Will their employers want to let them go?

As our soldiers come home we, here, shall have to face the very problems which W. L. George describes in "Women and Labor" in February GOOD HOUSEKEEPING. As an authority on women's relation to society Mr. George answers clearly the questions that all of us are asking.

His article is only one of the important features for February—as important as James Oliver Curwood's tale of the Northwest Mounted Police, "The River's End," and Clara Savage's description of how Paris acted when it heard about the armistice; as Harold Kellock's "Who is a Bolshevist and Why?" and I. A. R. Wylie's latest masterpiece of fiction. With its pages of charming interesting Spring Fashions and the Good Housekeeping Institute's sound helpful facts, this number truly has a whole month of diversion and satisfaction—ready for you now—tonight!

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Attleboro, Mass. Jan 25 1919

To Editor of The Boston American

Representing 180,000 patriotic women, members of the Woman's Relief Corps. I am convinced that these same women do heartily endorse the petition as presented by The Boston American, for the return to the homes as soon as possible the soldiers who have accomplished every object America had in the War, and urge also that they may be paid their military wage for six months, until they can obtain work and remunerative employment

Signed: Eliza Brown Daggett
National President

Headquarters
Woman's Relief Corps
Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Portland, Maine January 23rd 1919

Mr. John McLaughlin
Boston American
33 Summer St
Boston Mass
Dear Sir.

The movement to procure six months pay for all our "boys in khaki" on receipt of an honorable discharge meets with my hearty approval and support.

The Boston American as prime mover in this effort, engages in a most laudable cause.

Cordially yours
Alice B. Jordan
President Dept of Maine W.R.C.

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Department of New Hampshire
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Nashua, N.H. January 24. 1919

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir

I am heartily in favor of the movement to procure six months pay for all our boys in Khaki on receipt of an honorable discharge

Loyally yours in behalf of the W.R.C. Department of New Hampshire

Cora J. Hoyt
Department President

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF VERMONT

Woman's Relief Corps
Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic

OFFICE OF

Jan 27 1919

Editor Boston American
Dear Sir.

I surely must heartily endorse the movement to procure six months pay for all our boys, on receipt of an honorable discharge.

Loyally and sincerely yours in behalf of the Department of Vermont

Jessie A. Sturtevant
Department President

Headquarters
Woman's Relief Corps
Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic
Room 17, Hagstrom Building
637 Washington Street

Boston, Mass. Jan 22 1919

To the
Editor of the Boston American.

The Department of Massachusetts Woman's Relief Corps indorses the movement of the Boston American to persuade the Government of the United States to grant six months pay to all discharged soldiers.

We certainly owe our Boys a great debt of gratitude and in behalf of the Massachusetts Woman's Relief Corps, I heartily approve of the plan.

Loyally Yours in F. C. & L.
Flora S. Chapin
Dept. President

Headquarters
Department of Rhode Island
Woman's Relief Corps
Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic

Providence, R.I. January 27th 1919

Editor, Boston American
Boston Mass.
Dear Sir,

In behalf of the 600 members of the Department of Rhode Island, Woman's Relief Corps, of which I have the honor to be president, it gives me pleasure to heartily endorse the plan of the Boston American which seeks the return to their homes with six months military wage of our soldiers who have accomplished so brilliantly every object America had in the war.

We of the Department of Rhode Island Relief Corps feel that this is simply an act of justice by a great nation to its heroes. In our department we have many mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts of boys who have been in the world war.

We will do all in our power to get our friends to sign this petition to the Secretary of War and we wish you success in an undertaking that will give comfort to the soldiers and sailors who sacrificed so much.

Respectfully yours,
Susan P. Jepson

CORPSES FILL THE STREETS OF PETROGRAD

Copenhagen, Feb. 2.—A revolt engineered by former soldiers has broken out in Petrograd, fugitives arriving here from that city via Helsingfors report. The streets are filled with corpses and heavy fighting is under way.

Rebels are bombarding Petrograd with artillery brought up from Kronstadt.

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PISO'S

PEACE ENVOYS GET DOWN TO BUSINESS

By DR. E. J. DILLON.

Special Cable to the Boston American and Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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Paris, Feb. 2.—The conference must be congratulated on having at last descended from a nebulous region of generalities to concrete questions which have direct reference to a peace treaty of nations when the body shall come into being.

The future of the German colonies and territories, of the Ottoman Empire, strife between the Czecho-Slovaks and the Poles, the dispute between the Serbs and the Rumanians, the views of Belgium about her colony have been discussed before the council of ten, whose decisions all interested parties ended by accepting.

And this is a result which will be warmly welcomed by all who have at heart the peace progress of the world.

TO REVISE MAP.

One of the most edifying spectacles has been the self-command, dignity and moderation of the delegates of lesser nations when pleading their respective causes. Other topics beset with more formidable difficulties will be taken up next, such as, for instance, the general outlines of the map of Europe, and perhaps Germany's frontiers last of all.

It must not, however, be supposed that any really crucial matters have been wholly disposed of as yet. The Poles and Czecho-Slovaks have only stated their respective cases and agreed to cease hostilities and await the decision of the conference which they have promised to accept. The Rumanians and Serbs likewise have set forth their respective claims to banat of Temesvar, which contains 250,000 Serbs.

BASES FOR CLAIMS.

Rumania rests her case mainly upon the treaty concluded with Britain, France and Russia in August, 1916, which allots to her the banat, the necessity of her possessing geographical frontiers, such as rivers, indispensable to the economic life of the people and on her right to demand from Serbia an equivalent for the 200,000 Rumanians whom the Jugo-Slav State will absorb. The Serbs refuse to admit the force of the treaty concluded without their knowledge and invoke the principle of nationality on the ground that the majority of the inhabitants are Serbs.

Some time ago I entered more fully into the question of the secret treaty and whether it was formally dissolved by the conclusion of a separate peace at Bucharest. The conference will give a decision upon all the points later.

Meanwhile the advisability of a modified blockade will come up for discussion in a few days, when experts will be heard on the subject. Echoes of the recent debates on the German colonies have not yet died away. It is still the theme of animated conversation at private meetings and of forcible articles in the French press.

Plenipotentiaries regret the vivacity of public comments while the matter was pending, all the more since a unanimous agreement was finally reached. Moreover, the mandatory system is understood to have been mooted some weeks ago in London and a substantial agreement to have been reached.

Leon Bourgeois, propounding his theory of the society of nations, said: "It will be necessary for the nations to place all their resources—intellectual, moral, economic, financial—and, if needs be, military forces, in the service of the common cause."

DOUBTS FEASIBILITY OF LEAGUE

The Echo de Paris maintains that the plenipotentiaries are not invested with powers to bind their respective countries by stipulations depriving them of part of their sovereignty and concludes, "the experience of history shows arrayed against the system the force of national passions which rebel against all rigid outside control and the importance of every international government to compel the strong to obey.

"People talk of disarming, but there is one weapon that cannot be suppressed in this age when armies are improvised—the moral strength of a nation. Such is the adventure on which we are invited to embark. If it fails we are left without alliances, confronted with enemies and without the means of constraining them to pay what they owe us."

Bank Officers Hold Smoker

The Bank Officers' Association of Boston are to hold a smoker at the Eaton City Club tonight. A film entitled "The Fighting Roosevelts" is to be shown, and Major Carl P. Dennett is to speak on experiences of American war prisoners in Germany.

New Patriotic Song Sunday; Readers to Choose Melody

Don't fail to get next Sunday's Boston Advertiser and American.

It will contain another great patriotic song, one of a series of fifteen submitted to our readers for judgment and prize awards.

From this list the 15,000,000 readers of the Hearst newspapers will select America's new National melody, which will commemorate for all time the great part our country played in the world war.

The musical talent of America has contributed to this song series. Never before has such a musical symposium been placed before the public at so low a price.

Get next Sunday's paper and be one of our readers to decide which of these famous songs shall be America's new National anthem.

U. S. CASUALTIES TO DATE

Killed in action..	39,597	40	39,637
Died of disease..	18,837	85	18,922
Died of wounds..	12,904	35	12,939
Dead from other causes	2,706	13	2,719
Lost at sea	732	0	732
Total dead ...	65,746	153	65,899
Wounded	150,477	812	151,289
Captured or missing	11,724	22	11,746
Army totals....	227,947	987	228,934
Marine totals...	5,771	0	5,771
Grand totals..	233,718	987	234,705

SEEK NEW LAWS TO PERMIT BAY STATE FLYING

Plans are under way to have the laws governing civilian flying and landing of airplanes in Massachusetts adjusted, that experienced men who have been flying army planes in the United States air service may be allowed to pilot planes in this State without fear of arrest.

This step will be taken by the newly formed Massachusetts organization of ex-service flyers, it was said at the meeting held in the B. A. A. clubhouse on Exeter street.

Enthusiastic over the aviation outlook in Massachusetts and the prospect of being able to continue flying as civilians, a large number of army, navy, marine and balloon pilots joined the new organization at the meeting and others sent in their names. Harry M. Jones, the only aviator to make a landing on Boston Common, is among those to join. He has been an instructor in aviation at the government flying fields.

A canvass of some of the commercial manufacturers of aircraft has disclosed that every support will be given by them to the members of the new organization in booming aviation in Massachusetts. It is planned to hold aero meets and intercity races with aircraft in Massachusetts during the coming Spring and Summer.

Wilson on Floor of Chamber of Deputies, an Honor Conferred for First Time in 70 Years

By ROBERT J. PREW.
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, Feb. 2.—Another unique honor was paid to President Wilson today when he was publicly received on the floor of the Chamber of Deputies. It had been seventy years since a similar honor had been paid to a visitor to France.

When President Wilson entered the chamber he was accompanied by President Poincare, Premier Clemenceau, Paul Deschanel, president of the Chamber of Deputies, and M. Dubost, president of the Senate.

The scene was an impressive one, and when the American executive appeared the assembled deputies and senators broke into cheers of greeting. There was a guard of honor from the republican guard, all the soldiers being in full dress uniform and presenting arms when the distinguished visitor arrived.

Four special seats of honor had been provided beneath the Presidential chair. The parliament facing the huge amphitheatre, which was packed with members of the parliament. The background was a mass of color furnished by flags, among which the Stars and Stripes were very conspicuous.

M. Deschanel, who is one of France's greatest orators, delivered the address of greeting, bidding the head of the sister republic welcome in eloquent language. Another storm of cheering greeted the President when he arose to reply. His speech was brief, acknowledging the signal honor that had been paid him.

After the ceremony President Wilson attended a reception given by M. Deschanel in his official residence adjoining the Parliament building.

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'BIG FIVE' TAKE UP CLAIMS OF GREECE

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anxious to hasten the work of the committees that are framing the fundamental statutes of the league.

MANY THINGS ACHIEVED.

Summed up, the conference has already accomplished these things in the name of the League of Nations:

1—Summoned a conference with representatives of the Bolsheviki on the Island of Prince's Island in the Sea of Marmora on February 15.

2—Decided upon supervision of the German colonies in the Pacific and in Africa and of Turkish territory by mandatories;

3—Appointed a commission to go into Poland;

4—Taken steps for a settlement of the dispute between the Czecho-Slovaks and the Poles;

5—Named an independent commission to study the claims of Rumania and Serbia in Banat and Temesvar.

All the foregoing decisions are dependent upon the league for universal approval.

HUGHES CHIEF OPPONENT.

Very serious problems will present themselves to the conference this week which will prove extremely difficult of solution unless there is a master hand at the helm.

President Wilson, fully realizing and appreciating the growing criticism at home, is devoting all of his energies to the formation of a plan for a league of nations acceptable to all of the world, thus silencing criticism in the United States along exclusively national lines.

The biggest opponent to President Wilson's views is Premier Hughes, who has shown no inclination to relent from the hostile attitude he has taken. The premier, in expressing himself upon his position, said:

"We (Australia) did not wait until the fifteenth hour to come to the defence of civilization. In the dark days of March last, Australian divisions filled the breach and saved Amiens. We did not then say: 'Wait for an international tribunal to give us a mandate.' Australia refuses to wait for the functioning of a League of Nations or New Guinea. That is a question of life and death with us."

NO SELFISH PEACE.

The attitude of the United States is directly in contradiction to this. The President holds to the declaration of the allied commanders that the intervention of the American army, without regard for the salvage of men and materials, prevented the Germans from taking Paris. If necessary, it was said, the President is ready to warn the sympathizers of Premier Hughes that America is unwilling to participate in a selfish peace, but is ready to settle her own problems in her own way should cooperation with the world powers be refused.

Geographical questions and the claims of the smaller nations have only been debated up to date. The big problems involving German indemnity and the Allied claims have been deferred in the hope that a complete general agreement of the entire conference would be established. When all of the territorial questions are out of the way the delegates are expected to get speedy action on what Germany must pay.

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London, Feb. 2.—The workers on five London subway systems went on strike this morning. They threatened to tie up all electric services also, if troops are sent to interfere with their walkout.

When the nation-wide strikes spreading and armed government troops patrolling the riotous hotbeds, Britain looks with grave alarm to the storm signals flaring up in various parts of the United Kingdom, the most threatening being the terrific workers announcement that they will resist "the government armed tyranny which failed to support justice in other countries and will fail in England."

A crowd of Sin Feiners at Dublin made a demonstration of protest against the occupation of Ft. Enda's College of military forces.

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VETERANS OF '98 SUPPORT WAR BONUS FIGHT

Praise for the Boston American's fight for soldiers' reform and services is coupled with endorsement of the suggestion of which he is the author, that a bonus of $60 for soldiers is given by Department Commander Timothy W. Kelley of the Massachusetts Department, United Spanish War Veterans.

At the same time the Metal Trades Council of Portsmouth, N. H., which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, through Secretary George A. Wentworth, speaks for itself in hearty approval of the plan.

From all over New England letters are coming to the Boston American, from veterans of the great war and from groups of men commending the Soldiers' Service Bureau for the work it is doing for the discharged men of the various branches of the service.

PRAISES AID BY HEARST.

"The ex-service soldier of this country appreciates more keenly than I can outline words to adequately express the great work done by Mr. Hearst and the newspapers in the interests of those who offer themselves in the defense of our country," says Manager Kelley of the Spanish War Veterans' union.

"At a meeting attended by more than 200 members of our organization, I brought up the question of a bonus for the soldiers of the late war. It was unanimously voted to address such action."

Adding to the American concerning this petition, Secretary Cate of the Metal Trades Council of Portsmouth, N. H., says:

"By unanimous vote at the last meeting of the Metal Trades Council of Portsmouth, N. H., I was requested to communicate with you and ask you to use your influence to procure the payment to all enlisted men returned to their homes their military wages for six months after discharge or until they can be taken into remunerative employment.

"We feel that the shutting down of many factories has thrown many men out of employment at this time and necessitates some action along this line during the period of readjustment."

SIGNED BY CAR WORKERS.

L. M. Bradshaw, of the 254 Columbus avenue enclosed 240 names in a letter, which he sent to the bureau, stating that he had obtained them in the Readville car shops.

"The A. J. Reach company, sole manufacturers of Worster, stated in a communication that they had completed the elimination of the petition through the factory and that it contained the signatures of all employees. The names of women employees were added after all the men had signed.

Arnold F. Vinz of No. 91 Faluah street, Providence, a veteran of the signed petition, stated that he had five brothers and one sister in the service, and that all, whom are members the wear, signed.

Mrs. Ralph E. Stroup of No. 68 Trelawney Building, Portland, Me., sending in the names, stated in her letter that there are so many Maine boys in the 103d Regiment that she wants to be of help in getting them that six months' pay.

These letters represent the sentiment of people in nearly every part of New England. From up near the Canadian border in Fort Fairfield, Me., William G. Ashby, a forty-six names with the information added that he is an honorably discharged member of the Machine Gun Battalion, Company C, of the 12th Division, until recently at Camp Devens. With allotments delayed and hundreds unable to secure work they for war honor of this kind to support his family.

Many patriotic employers are coming forward with offers of positions for discharged men of the service. Bookkeepers, salesmen, engineers, shoeworkers, all can find work by applying at the office of the Soldiers' Service Bureau at No. 4 Beacon street, room No. 804.

The free want ad column, free to the use of service men, has also attracted the attention of many employers, and has resulted in placing many skilled artisans in positions that also offer them splendid opportunity for advancement.

All service men want is an opportunity. They are quick to resent anything that can be construed as "pull" or favoritism in being helped. Many of them have been idle from one to two months, and although they are not absolutely discouraged over the prospects of finding work within a little time, they feel that employers who seek to find out first what their attitude will be before they offer them a position will not be fair, and that they have no more after them a position as reduced wages.

180,000 WOMEN WORK TO AID SOLDIERS

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women. Was placed on the American's petition to Mrs. Ellis Brown Daggett, national president of the corps.

Following in her footsteps came the various State presidents of the five New England States in immediate rotation of the Boston American's circulation. These include Mrs. Alice M. Jordan of Maine, Mrs. Cora B. Hoit of New Hampshire, Mrs. Jessie A. Shurtevant of Vermont, Miss Flora B. Chapin of Massachusetts and Mrs. Rosan E. Jepson of Rhode Island.

ENDORSED BY PRESIDENTS.

Without a single exception these State presidents have heartily endorsed the movement to provide for the returning heroes of the world war.

Mrs. Daggett, national president of the Woman's Relief Corps, who by her letter to the American caused the 180,000 women in the corps, is piously interested in the project.

"Of course they should have six months' pay," said she.

"These are the days I came through the Civil War and remember the hard times and the awful struggle, the high prices of food, the difficulty to find work on the part of the soldiers, the depression and hardships that followed the period of reconstruction, and hardly do otherwise than give a better position to these brave boys who went over the seas to fight for our country.

"Canada is doing, without any loss, just what the Boston American is asking to be done in this country to do. All Canadian discharged soldiers are getting their six months' pay and other benefits besides.

"It would be disgraceful, in my opinion, for this country to have any penniless these brave young men who have fought for her so nobly and so well.

"Regarding jobs, I will say this: I firmly believe that every man, whatever country, who is now holding a position which formerly was held by other boys in the service, should be discharged from it and the soldier given his former place.

U. S. SOLDIERS FIRST.

"This country is full of aliens who have been making big money during the war by taking positions vacated by the men who went overseas to fight for their country.

"Now these heroes are coming back and the streets of the cities are beginning to be filled with men wandering up and down, looking for work. Meanwhile the aliens, who did nothing but use this country as a refuge to keep them from service in their own armies, are snugly holding down their jobs.

"Six months' pay? Certainly they should have six months' pay—and a job besides.

"Representing 180,000 women members of the Woman's Relief Corps, I feel only heartily endorse this petition, but I will personally do anything in my power to carry it through."

This statement on the part of Mrs. Daggett means that already throughout the United States hundreds of thousands of women who are members of this helpful organization, and as many heroes of the Civil War, their members of the G. A. R. and their sons, the members of the other auxiliary of the glorious Grand Army, the members of the Sons of Veterans, have begun to work for this petition.

THOUSANDS JOIN APPEAL.

The petitions printed today on Page 6 from the State presidents of the New England States indicate how the idea is taking hold in this section.

The interest shown in the American's project by these organizations resulting from the great fight for the Union means an immediate increase in the large number of signatures daily being secured to the petition.

All up through the country, down to Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont and through the cities of Massachusetts and Rhode Island the women of the W. R. C. are today carrying petitions through homes, stores and factories and everywhere they are being greeted with congratulations and flocked with signatures.

Quick results follow the presentation nearly everywhere.

It is hard for people in the country who do not realize that in giving of this bonus to our fighting men is only an act of justice, a great debt to its heroes, and few men who are interested in the movement could allow hands back from the pen or neglect to add one more to the list of names that will go to the Secretary of War asking this undoubted right for the soldier.

Petition to the Secretary of War to Send Soldiers Home With Six Months' Pay

Sign this petition, get your friends to sign it, and forward it to the Boston American, 80 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

To the Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War:

The undersigned respectfully urge you to return to their homes as soon as possible the soldiers who have accomplished so brilliantly every object America had in the war.

We urge, also, that you obtain the necessary authority to pay these men their military wages for six months, or for some sufficient period after their discharge from the army until they can obtain useful and remunerative employment.

We urge this as an act of simple justice by a great nation to its heroes.

(Signed)

THE SOLDIERS' SERVICE BUREAU

The Soldiers' Service Bureau of the Boston American is dedicated to the purpose of doing things for the soldiers and sailors of Uncle Sam. It is for officers and men alike. Answers to questions will be published in the American daily, and many personal services will be done for the soldiers and sailors as stated below.

The department is not merely operated as a question and answer column. It is co-operating with similar departments in Hearst's New York American, Chicago Examiner, Atlanta Georgian, San Francisco Examiner and Los Angeles Examiner. The headquarters is in Washington.

Attorneys will answer questions of a legal nature and undertake many kinds of legal work in the courts for officers and enlisted men in behalf of the Boston American and its associated Hearst newspapers.

Please write any suggestion you have for widening the activities of this department.

Address all communications to Soldiers' Service Bureau, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston. Letters marked "confidential" will be so treated. Men of the army and navy, feel free to help you.

As heretofore, the purposes will be:

1—To conduct in behalf of the officers and men of the army and navy, a legal bureau, with headquarters at Washington and with branches in each city where a Hearst paper is published.

2—To examine the severe sentences of court-martial, examined into to see if any injustice has been done and to bring to the attention of all wrongs that may have been done by court-martial.

3—To aid discharged soldiers, sailors and marines in procuring positions.

4—To list employers ready to hire discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.

5—To gain special medical attention for recently discharged men.

6—To work for the rapid discharge of soldiers with six months' pay in advance.

7—To help relatives find men in the service.

8—To hurry the settlement of allotments and the pay of officers and men of the army and navy where delays have occurred.

9—To provide information consistent with the nature of the bureau.

10—To aid in the formation of associations of veterans of the war; to list those formed and to assist them in working out their plans.

11—To arrange lodgings for visiting service men.

12—To give legal and work personal and wives families of soldiers, sailors and marines are threatened with, or involved in, disposed proceedings in any way due to the absence from home of these members in the fighting forces of the United States.

Soldiers and sailors should write at once if they are in any kind of trouble.

ANNA—The 318th Signal Battalion has been placed on the priority list for early movement homeward. I do not know yet on what transport it will come.

A FRIEND, WORCESTER—The 24th Aero Squadron was recently reported at Tours.

ANXIOUS—The 304th Sanitary Train, including all its units, is home. It was in the 83d Division.

AGNES—The 57th Pioneer Infantry training detachment is due at Newport News on February 5.

STAMFORD—The 26th Division is in the Army of Occupation, with headquarters at Bercastel, Prussia.

A BROTHER—The 42d (Rainbow) Division has not been ordered home. It is in the Army of Occupation.

M. M., NEW LONDON—The 55th Telegraph Battalion is located at Brest.

LONESOME—Naval Base No. 18 is at Inverness, Scotland.

G. K. D.—O. & T. C. T. A. motor Organization and Training Centre, Tractor Artillery.

ARTHUR—The 404th M. T. S. is at Brest.

O. C. C.—The Supply Company of the 66th Regiment, C. A. C., is due to return soon with that regiment.

H. W. L., BOSTON—The 329th Field Artillery has been returned home.

ANXIOUS SISTER—The Headquarters Company of the 113th Ammunition Train has been ordered home.

STONEHAM—The 23d Infantry, 2d Division, Army of Occupation, has not been ordered home.

A FATHER—The 304th Field Artillery, 77th Division, is due to sail for home about March 5. The whole division is expected to come together.

J. M. K., BOSTON—The 104th Machine Gun Battalion is ordered home. It is in the 7th Division.

MRS. B, CHELSEA—Prisoner of War Escort Company No. 17 is at St. Nazaire and has been ordered home.

DORCHESTER MOTHER—The 56th Pioneer Infantry has not been ordered home. It is in the Army of Occupation. You seem to have confused it with the 56th Engineers.

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BILL TO CORRECT EVILS OF COURT MARTIALS

By JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

Washington, Feb. 3.—"Justice to the soldier" is the plea which will be officially and powerfully brought to the attention of the American government during the coming week.

The defects and abuses of the court-martial system of the American army will be the theme of a departmental and sensational discussion of vital interest and importance to more than 2,000,000 American boys who are still wearing the khaki and under military law.

Senator Chamberlain's bill for court-martial reform will form the basis for the official investigation and free discussion. This measure the Boston American and its owner have earnestly endorsed and advocated.

Today the American bar entered into the vital discussion.

George T. Page, president of the American Bar Association, came to Washington today in support of Senator Chamberlain's bill for reform in military justice and will argue open hearings and its enacting into a law at this session of Congress.

Senator Borah is deeply interested in the matter, and recently introduced a resolution, unanimously adopted by the Senate, calling for a report from the War Department on court martial proceedings since the declaration of war.

HAGAN'S "OBLAST" SHOE

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Dobell's Solution, pint	30c
Rochelle Salts, lb	90c
Soda Bicarb, lb	10c
Seidlitz Powders, box	30c
Sage, loose, ½ lb	20c
Sulphur, lb	15c
Witch Hazel, pint	47c

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Dickman's Alterative 79c and	1.49
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Gray's Glycerine Tonic	1.17
Gude's Nervura	98c
Bromo Seltzer 10c, 24c,	47c
	95c, 1.49
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Ena's Pebb Salts	98c
Horsford's Acid Phosphate,	
	45c and 87c
Iad Salts	87c
Kilgor's Creosote Compound	1.29
Lactone Phosphate	79c
Manola	95c
McDade's Alterative	1.98
Nu-Tone 55c and	1.19
McArthur Syrup Hypophosphites,	
	1.19
May's Compound Creosa,	
55c and	1.19
Phillips' Phospho Muriate Quinine	
	89c
Phosphagen	1.79
Sal Hepatica 23c, 45c and	89c
sal Alterant 24c, 47c and	95c
Seng	98c
Thiolen	95c
Schenck's Tonic 49c and	98c
Turner's Asthmador,	
45c and	95c
Waterbury's Compound	89c
Hagee's Cordial or Hood's Sarsaparilla	97c
Hyndman's Black Bottle	1.33
Malline	1.49
Oxoferrin	89c
Pertussin	1.14
Plant Juice, 6 oz. for	3.35
Russell's Emulsion	1.14
Scott's Emulsion 58c and	1.17
Trommer's Malt	1.17
Armour's Veal Bone Marrow	1.69
Atwood's Bitters	23c
Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription or Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery	97c
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin,	
49c and	79c
Eshar's Neuro Phosphate	1.49
Fairchild's Pampepsin	95c
Hance's Blood Tonic or Imolen,	
	1.00
Kilmer's Swamp Root 49c and	98c
Weldona	1.00

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Ayer's	37c
Beecham's or Brandreth's	19c
Carter's Little	19c
Doan's Kidney	51c
Doan's Regulets	25c
De Witt's Kidney 39c and	79c
Edwards' Olive 10c and	19c
Grove's Bromo Quinine or Hill's Cascara Quinine	23c
Hilton's No. 3	45c
Hood's	23c
Morse's Indian Root	19c
Page's Cold Compound	29c
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Vigorades or Hunyadi Janos	19c
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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,	
35c, 55c,	1.10
Adjerson's Balsam	24c
Arnold's Cough Killer	24c 48c
Cresy's Syrup of Tar or Cresy's Syrup of Hypophosphites	39c
Menthol Laxene	75c
Piso's Bloodroot Balsam	19c
Rake's Honey of Horehound and Tar	25c
Kemp's Balsam	24c and 75c
Pisco's Remedy	28c
Wistar's Balsam Wild Cherry,	
24c, 47c and	93c
Krelo	15c, 25c, 45c
Lysol	23c, 45c, 89c
Dalt's Chlorides	23c and 45c
Peroxide Hydrogen,	
10c, 17c and	25c
Pinotol 10c, 35c and	2.50
Sulpho Naftol	25c
25c, 39c, 79c, 1.39,	2.75
Virginine 15c, 25c and	39c
White Cross Sprays 23c and	45c, 2.00

SOAPS

Cuticura	21c
Carlton's British Bath	15c
Cupco	8c and 15c
Flush	15c
Fairy 7c and	10c
Lava	5c
Lava Spanish Castile	25c
Hand Sapollo	10c
Ivory 7c and	10c
Jap Rose 10c,	25c
Jergen's Violet Glycerine	10c
Lifebuoy	7c
Palmolive Shampoo	15c
Packer's Shampoo	25c
Poslam	21c
Parke & Davis Germicide,	
25c and	39c
Packer's Tar	25c
Palmolive	10c
Palmer's Skin Success	19c
Pears' Unscented	10c
Resinol	27c
Robinson's Oatmeal	25c
1711 White Rose	25c
Pears' Scented	10c

We have a complete list of Armour's and Swift's soaps.

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Brooks' Barley	25c, 43c
Borden's Malted Milk,	
35c, 85c,	3.50
Bovinine	55c, 95c
Bextri Maltose	69c, 1.35
Eskay's 25c, 45c,	79c, 3.00
Horlick's Food 39c, 75c,	2.75
Horlick's Malted Milk,	
45c, 85c,	3.00
Murdock's Liquid Food 55c,	95c
Nestle's Food 25c, 59c,	3.00
Robinson's Barley	50c
Steero Cubes	30c, 1.07
Thompson's Hemo	49c, 95c
Mellin's Food	43c, 65c

TOOTH PASTES

Bestol or Euthymol	25c
Colgate's 10c and	25c
Forhan's 24c and	39c
Kal-Phero	25c
Kolynos or Lyon's	25c
Pebeco	50c
Pepsodent	45c
Sanitol	25c
Rodin	39c
Saxadent	25c
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Sloan's Liniment Brings Comforting Relief from After-effects of Exposure, Rheumatic Aches, Pains, Sprains and Strains.

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Most everybody knows that Sloan's Liniment is the universal enemy of such aches and pains.

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(Signed)—Sapper Mc. Harker, A. S. Wells, S. A. Sami, A. Pinnell, J. Shaw, G. W. Spencer, S. J. Charman, S. Mapp, G. Hartwell, R. Collins, A. Bailey, C. Brown, F. A. Crooks, A. Taylor—all of the 170th R. T., Royal Engineers, British Expeditionary Force, France.

Could there be better evidence of the merit of Sloan's Liniment, or stronger proof that it gives relief from the pains of *rheumatism, sprains, sore, stiff muscles, and the after-effects of exposure to bad weather and hard work?* Do not suffer with these aches and pains! Use Sloan's Liniment and get *comforting* relief. Clean, safe, effective, soothing. The largest bottle for greatest economy.

Get a bottle TODAY at your druggist's, 30c, 60c and $1.20

Sloan's Liniment The World's KILLS PAIN

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as most cleaners, because it is not filled with water to dry out.

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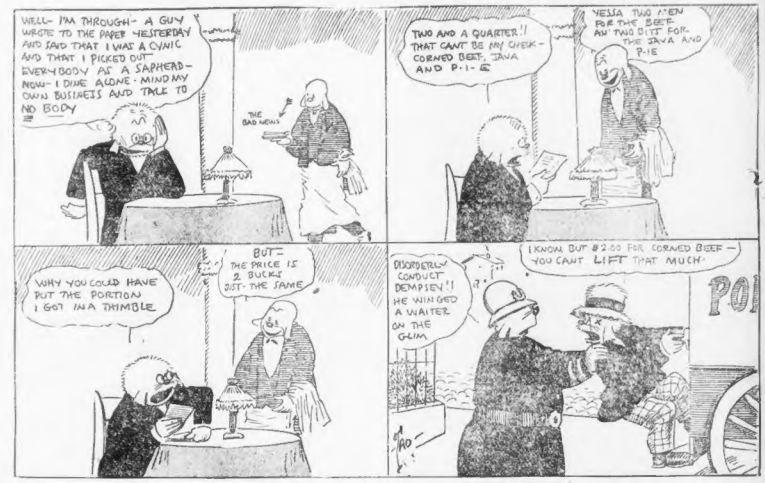

These Cartoons in Animated Form Appearing Exclusively in the Hearst News Film.

WELLING AND HARVEY TO MEET IN MAIN BOUT AT CENTRAL

By NICK FLATLEY.

THE Central A. C. holds forth this evening up at the Park Riding Academy, with Johnny Harvey as substitute for Barney Adair, who has a wounded fist. Johnny will swap punches with Joe Welling, and the pair are very well matched, and should come through with a torrid joust.

Welling has been going along winning consistently, and figures to continue, but he will not have any picnic with Mister Harvey. Johnny, who may be remembered here for the couple of battles he put up with Charlie White when that youth was in his leg-day, hasn't grown a bit more easy to conquer in the passing seasons.

He is a rugged, tough, battling bird, guaranteed to keep the sheny hopping all the way through. This battle is one of a series, with the big fellows taking part, that the Central Club, which has finally been fitted out in first-class shape, is arranging.

Dyer and Lewis Listed Next Week.

TED LEWIS, the champion of the welters, has been signed to take on Fred Dyer, the Australian, at the Central a week from today. Ted was listed to battle here a couple of weeks ago, but reported a sore hand, and did not show. We might venture to remark, however, that Ted's wounds are never very serious when he sees a chance ahead to take in a big bunch of money.

There's no doubt but that he figured that the Grand Opera House did not measure up to the capacity crowd that he could draw by virtue of title owning. Getting a percentage, he wanted something bigger. He may have been informed that the Riding Academy would accommodate a throng of the necessary proportions.

Dyer has been training for Lewis since he got out of his army job as athletic trainer, but has been disappointed several times. He has passed up other matches, and is reported to be in the best trim possible for the Tec person.

Another match that will be very attractive if it is pulled through is the one between Pal Moore, of international fame, and Barney Snyder of our own city. This is being planned for February 24, as Pal will be here in the course of a tour of the country.

While Snyder has not tackled many of the top notchers, he has all the ability in the world, and his recent battle with Bobby Josephs, got him started on the road to perfect condition. Barney has evidently decided to take boxing seriously for a time, and is grooming himself for a serious shot at the title. He has all the natural qualifications, and can easily make the bantamweight limit.

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All-Star Card of Bouts for the Triple A Fans.

THE directors of the Triple A. have arranged an all-star card for tomorrow night, with Pete Hartley of New York battling Harry Carlson of Brockton in the main muss of twelve rounds. Jimmy Fretwell meets Freddie Welsh in an eight-round semi-final, while Young Morgan and Eddie Kelly and Kitt Corona and Young Leonard open the evening's festivities.

The Triple A has also signed up Battling Levinsky to meet Jim Coffey for February 12, Soldier Barfield and Ted Lewis for February 18, and plans are under way to have Turner and Greb for a feature February 25.

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Hayes and Shubert Big Lawrence Feature.

CHICK HAYES of Indianapolis and Al Shubert of New Bedford, who meet in the main twelve-round bout at the resumption of boxing at the Lawrence club Thursday night, have something to try for. The officials of the club have agreed to stage a bout with Pete Herman, the bantam champion, within a month.

Hayes and Shubert are taking matters so seriously that they are moving to Lawrence to complete training, and incidentally assure the fans that they will be present. This is a very commendable idea, and a bunch of other clubs would do well to follow suit and have their star performers on hand early enough to prevent any of those last-hour postponements.

The Lynn club, which opened last week, will have another show Thursday, with three ten-rounders on the bill. Joe Connolly will meet Billie Burke, Young Vets boxer Johnny Melo and Walter Mohr clashes with Young Goula, Salem also goes along, as is now customary, tomorrow evening with two ten-rounders among other things. Freddie Yelle and Walter Hatter meet, as do Joe Rivers and George Robinson.

Down in Brockton Friday those two old rivals, Carlson and Sacco, have another try to establish superiority—a quarrel that is sure to pack the house. It's a busy week in the ring.

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Another All-Star Card at Commercial A. C.

OF course, the Commercial Club will have the centre of things on Friday evening, with three tenround affairs that promise the usual Commercial activity. All participants appear to be very cleverly matched up from a speculatorial viewpoint.

The card follows:

K. O. Chick Miller and Mickey Travers, six rounds.

Johnny Gray and Eddie Harcelli, ten rounds.

Joe Melanson and Young Strona, ten rounds.

Art Magirl and George Robinson, ten rounds.

YALE TO ANNOUNCE 1919 GRIDIRON PLANS

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 2.—Yale's formal announcement of its football plans for next season will be made at a special meeting of the coaches, which has been called for next Friday night. Former players will speak and there will be addresses by Professor Robert N. Corwith, head of the Athletic Board of Control; the veteran trainer and coach, John Mack, and by Jim Braden and John Callahan, the only members of Yale's 1916 eleven who have so far returned to college. Braden is the track captain.

Ringside's Selections

Young Proto to beat Kid Lee.
Sam Bell to beat Young Rocco.
Peppy Leahy to beat Willie Coogan.
Joe Welling to beat Johnny Harvey.

TWO AND THREE
PUTTING THE NEXT ONE OVER WITH "BUGS" BAER.

THE bird who is establishing the tallest moan about prohibition is the sapp who chirps that he only drinks at home. Trouble with that cuckoo is that he feels at home anywhere.

IF Fulton is a champ then Bluebeard was a good husband.

YOU stated it.

GEORGE GRANT has bought the Braves in spite of the fact that there ain't a chance of building up the attendance with German immigrants.

NOT for the next fifty years, anyway.

WE ain't saying a thing about Cincinnati. That's where many a good manager started. And that's where he stopped.

CHASE trial has jazzed up only orthodox excitement among the Hard Boiled Eggs since the Eggs tried Maje Boze Bulger for buying a drink. The Maje was acquitted stylishly when he took the jury home and showed 'em his room all papered with pink bar checks.

DEALERS buzz that food is going back to normal. But when was hash ever normal?

DIPLOMATS chirp us that it will be five years before Europe cools off and all our soldiers get that brass collar button mark back on their necks.

THE cactus and coyotes were in the Lone Star State before the Texans got here, but they arrived in time to keep heavyweight champions out.

A word series now going on in New York.

Contestants, Hal Chase and the National League.

Chase was first on the field with a team of nine lawyers. They engaged in a snappy warm-up, tossing subpoenas around the infield.

Waivers Asked on Ten Athletes of Brave Tribe

Manager Stallings has started to rebuild the Braves. Before he departed for his home he had waivers asked on ten. Their names will not be given out at present, but the management intimated that some of the old players are on the list.

This is a sure sign that the new owner, George W. Grant, means business and he is out to strengthen the club.

Joe Kelly, Brave outfielder, expects to be out of the service in two weeks. He has been stationed at Newport.

ALL-STAR MAT CARD FOR WRESTLING FANS

Joe Stecker, the "scissors-hold" star, must be lost somewhere in the Southwest, as reported telegrams sent from Boston have brought no answer to Promoter Tuohey, who had planned to show Stecker against Paul Martinson, the Western star, at the Grand Opera House on Thursday night. In the absence of any definite news Tuohey is working on an all-star card of three or more matches and hopes to round up his talent before tomorrow night.

Tuohey is puzzled over the affair, as the arrangements for Joe's appearance here were made over the long-distance phone, but a later telegram brought the news that there was a conflict over the date, and rather than antagonize the fans' favorite the matchmaker has declared the whole thing off and will go through with the all-star card.

SHEPARD TO COACH ANDOVER TRACK MEN

Portland, Feb. 2.—Ray A. Shepard, former track coach at Bates College, Lewiston, left Maine today for Phillips Andover Academy, where he has signed as track coach.

Whitman to Captain Crimson Oarsmen in 1919 Races

Announcement of the election of Frederick B. Whitman as captain of the Harvard crew has been made. Whitman, acting captain of the informal crew of last year, gained considerable reputation through his rowing in position No. 7. He succeeds Richard S. Emmett, who is now ill in New York with ptomaine poisoning and will be unable to row this season.

Whitman is a graduate of Cambridge High and Latin School. During his freshman year he rowed No. 6 with the Harvard 1919 crew. Prior to entering college he was active in high school athletics.

ANDY KELLY ENTERS THE MILLROSE GAMES

At the Millrose games in Madison Square Garden on Tuesday, February 25, New York athletic enthusiasts will have the opportunity of seeing Captain Andy Kelly, former Holy Cross star and present holder of the 300-yard indoor mark, in his first appearance in running togs since lacing up his shoes for the home-stretch. Kelly received his first commission as a lieutenant and as the result of hard work was promoted to a captaincy in the regular army.

BOXER MEL COOGAN IS DISCHARGED FROM NAVY

New York, Feb. 2.—Mel Coogan, the Brooklyn boxer, has been discharged from the United States Navy, which he has served one year and nine months. Coogan has fought 122 bouts, forty-eight being to a decision. He met some of the best boys in the country, including Champion Johnnie Kilbane.

MANAGERS FACE BIG BASEBALL CRISIS NOW

By HUGH S. FULLERTON.

Major league managers have laid aside politics for the year, accepted the fact that things are to go along in the old manner, and are getting busy making up their budgets and teams for the coming restoration of baseball.

The managers face this Spring one of the toughest problems they ever have done. In the first place it is the desire of every manager to get as many ex-soldiers and sailors back on their team as possible, but one knows what percentage of them will be able to return, therefore must plan a comprehensive team which is certain to be here to start the season.

This wouldn't be so bad but for the fact that both American and National Leagues have agreed to a reasonable salary limit. They are afraid to sign up-played stars from fear will want to release if the soldier players return. Nor would it look well for any club to ask the army to release players so they can join the clubs and then not furnish the jobs when the men are released.

BAD START WILL HURT.

It looks as if the majority of the teams will have to start the season short handed and gradually increase their strength. This is not good, either, as the public has seen enough bad baseball in the last two years to disgust tens of thousands, and wants good baseball or none.

One thing is certain, and that is that the minor leagues, now having declared independence and been raised home rule, are going to be the big gainers by this move of the majors. With the return of many of the soldiers and sailors, and with player limits, there will be scores of excellent ball players crowded out of the big circuit. The major leagues surely cannot claim to have them on hold salable claim to them, as they were released last Fall. Therefore, they will be able to go to any minor league club needing their services.

The agreement between the major and minor leagues when the minors, led by Tearney, Farrell and Tinker, walked out of "organized" baseball was that they were to respect each others' "rights" in territory, in players and in all other things. The question is, whether any club or any league has any "rights" to the services of a player who, when the work or fight order was issued, served the players with notices of release in order to stop salaries immediately.

CERTAIN TO BE ROW.

The majors salistic claim that these players are the property of the club which released them. That probably is the best way out of the muddle, provided the club desires to reasume the contracts that were broken. It may seem different for a club which does not desire the services of the men so released to claim to own him and reserve the right to sell him.

There is certain to be a big argument with a number of players who refuse to take that view of the situation, and there is a chance that the minor leagues, now independent, will not regard every ball player who was signed during last season as the property of the majors.

For instance, one club, in order to keep its roster filled while men were going into service and fleeting to the shipyards, signed thirty-one players. There probably were close to sixty on its lists from August 1 to September. Do all these men belong to this club?

SAYS STONEHAM REAL OWNER OF BRAVES

By W. S. FARNSWORTH.

New York, Feb. 2.— Charles A. Stoneham, who recently acquired controlling stock in the Giants at a price known to be nearly $1,000,000, is the real owner of the Boston team, the writer learned today.

The Hub club changed hands last fall and it was announced that the new owner was George Washington Dovey, capitalist, sporting patron and skating promoter.

We received our information from a source not a personal friend of Dovey's and the other even closer to Stoneham.

Undoubtedly this story will be denied. Syndicate baseball is supposed to be unfathomable these days, although eight years ago Barney Dreyfuss was alleged to own both the Pirates, Phillies and Braves.

By nothing but baseball with Stoneham now. He is in this business of the money he can make out of it. Like all other magnates, the day he announced their purchase Stoneham conveyed the impression that he sought the Giants purely as a sporting proposition.

The writer doesn't doubt that the Yearly broker will do his utmost to get New York a pennant winner, but in fact that he now owns the Braves and is going to purchase the Cardinals so that he can put in the game his "love of baseball" alone.

While syndicate baseball is supposed to be bad for the good of the game, the writer believes that with a free spender like Stoneham at the head of the Giants, Braves and Cardinals all three clubs will prosper.

John Mcgraw is in the deal with the "baseball brains" behind Stoneham. The Giants' manager knows that to make money a club must have a winner.

In Grant, Stoneham has a "new head" in charge of the Braves. The new president of the Braves has been the most rabid fan that has ever attended the Polo Grounds.

He knows the game from soup to nuts. For years he has been with Mcgraw, and from this schooled teacher the pupil has had a most thorough schooling.

DECISION ON CHASE EXPECTED THIS WEEK

New York, Feb. 2.—It is expected that President Heydler will render a decision this week in the Hal Chase case and thus clear the decks in the National League so that the managers can go ahead with their preparations for the Spring

COLLYER'S SELECTIONS

AT NEW ORLEANS

1—Atrabuy, Dandy Van, Double Vera.
2—Kaun, Big Smoke, Gallant Lad.
3—Vapin, Courcelles, Bugpipe.
4—Walnut Hall, Slippery Elm, Bondage.
5—Big Fellow, Kewpie O'Neil, Lottery.
6—Sunflash, Cracow, Brown Favorite.
7—Dolina, King Mart, Sir Oliver. Most probable—VAPAY.

FULTON'S 'FAKE' YARN KAYOED BY KEARNS

By JACK VEIOCK.

New York, Feb. 2.—Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, today drove an additional spike into Fred Fulton's assertion that he beat with Dempsey at Harrison, N. J., was a preconceived affair.

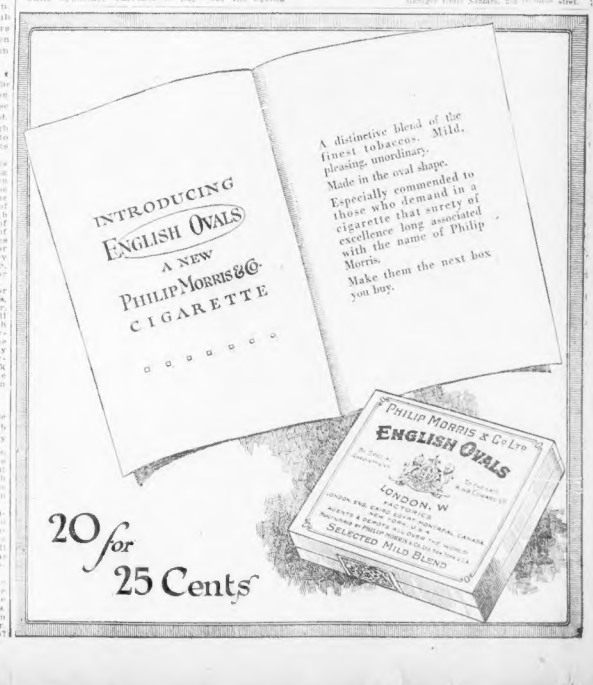
Kearns brands Fulton's contention as farcical. He points out that it would have been the height of foolishness on the part of either fighter to have tossed off his chances for a match at the heavyweight championship by faking or stalling.

"I'll say that Fulton was doubled-crossed at Harrison all right—first with a left hand and then with a right. Why, Dempsey never saw Fulton until he climbed into the ring."

Dempsey is in salt Lake City visiting his mother. He starts for New York in a day or so to meet Ted Rickard here.

Youngsters Want Games

The Whittier Athletic Club is planning a big night for Washington's Birthday, February 22, with the basket ball being in order for the best opponent in the Boston Amateur Basketball League (Class B). All engage Manager Frank Navarra, 218 Hanover street.



This Day in Our History — Feb. 3, 1919

THIS is the anniversary of the offer of France to mediate in 1862 between the North and the South. This offer was not accepted, as Lincoln realized that the great principle at stake would admit of nothing but a definite settlement by arms to secure the future entity of the republic.

Our Lives Should Be Like the Days—More Beautiful in the Evening

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A Month With the Moon

NOTHING could be more interesting than to follow the moon for a month through the sky, marking her track across the zodiacal constellations. At the beginning of February, as new moon, she is in Aquarius; Feb. 7, at first quarter, she is in Aries; Feb. 14, full moon, in Leo; Feb. 23, last quarter, in Scorpio.

The Secret Life and Loves of the Ex-Czarina

By BARONESS ZENEIDE TZANKOFF

Sensational Chapters in the Amazing Career of the Deposed Empress of Russia, as Told by Her Lifelong Friend

Edited by William Le Queux.

Famous traveler, authority on European court intrigues, adviser to the British secret service foreign department. Frequently consulted by European secret service departments on spying and espionage.

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PART VII.—Continued

THESE Russians, of course, believe themselves the greatest military power in the world," she said, with a sarcastic smile. "Well, let them think so! The bubble will be pricked very soon, I believe. Then, perhaps their arrogance will receive a severe blow."

"Hush!" I whispered. "Somebody might overhear you!" As a friend of her youth I did not hesitate to urge caution. "You are Empress, remember. Is it not judicious to be discreet?"

She drew a deep sigh, and taking a rose from a bowl at her elbow, inhaled its perfume deeply.

"Yes," she said at last, "perhaps, after all, you are right, Zeneide. With all these plots about me, there are. I suppose, wars everywhere. Kouropatkine has asked for audience tonight. I will see him. Will you give orders?"

This was unusual. Hitherto she had not viewed the War Minister with any favor. Indeed, only the previous day she had been discussing him with Madame Narischkine, and had alluding to him as "our little St. Michael." On overhearing it I had first wondered, and thus, on reflection, I had declared how injudicious were those words of hers.

That she disliked the Minister of War was quite apparent. Yet to me the whole situation was one of mystery, just as, I suppose, it was to Downing street, as well as to the Quai d'Orsay.

Downing Street

Downing street had its aloof and superior ambassador at St. Petersburg, as it had in all the capitals of Europe, a disastrous aloofness that was the heritage of Pitt and Gladstone, while Prance, with her fierce Anglophobe party, was being brought into line in view of an alliance against Great Britain.

As a looker-on upon the great international game that has had its results on the attitude of Francis I. know full well how Teutonic craft and cunning has not only undermined the Russian Empire but also eaten into the very hearts of British officialdom that recrettable bombastic bulwark of the late Victoria days which is August, 1914, alas! crumbled to dust.

I, Zeneide Ramensky, was an eyewitness of the daily, nay, hourly, betrayal of Russia by the secret agents of relentless Prussianism.

In secret I knew why Count Muravieff had been appointed as foreign minister, and who held him under her protecting wing. Nicholas may be supposed to be blind, but as was ever the case, if his wife spoke a single word, the Czar would reply:

"Very well, my dear Alix, you know best; you are a woman, and you always see much farther than myself."

Secret Aim of Berlin

That inert view of affairs proved the curse of Russia, and was in the end responsible for the fall of the Imperial House. The Jugglin of Muravieff with his enemy Kouropatkine marked the first downward step of the Muscovite Empire.

Now let me add you of a very dramatic incident at which I was present, the effect of which created a dire and terrible chasm in the world's history, though it has never until this moment been revealed; nor half a dozen members of the imperial entourage ever knew of it.

Advertisement

HE DARKENED HIS GRAY HAIR

They Used to Call Him Grandpa; Now They Call Him Kid.

Tells How He Did It.

Mr. J. A. McCrea, a well known resident of San Francisco, who was called Dad and Grandpa on account of his white hair, and who darkened it with a simple home-made mixture, recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and ¼ ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This is not a dye, it does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off. My friends now call me 'Kid'"

I here print the truth for the first truth for the first time.

The secret aim of Berlin was to embroil Russia with Japan, and so sap the former's resources and weaken her arms. Germany's secret agents in Tokio has reported upon Japan's hidden strength. The Kaiser, with his keen foresight, therefore realized that a war between the two empires, Russia must be beaten. That was what he declared in view of the war he meant to make upon Europe at a later date.

The plot was a devilish one, but no doubt Alexandra Feodorovna had been taken into his confidence when Nicholas' confidence when, only a month before, she had been his guest on the Hohenzollern in the Baltic.

Kouropatkine, who was an adept at underground diplomacy, had already discovered that Nicholas hated the Japanese, therefore, in order to propitiate his Imperial master—sycophant that he was, like most of the unprincipled men at Court—he was a strong advocate of a firm policy against the Mikado and his Government.

Through many months a fierce controversy had raged between Count Muravieff, whose contention was firm that Russia was too weak to attack Japan, and the firebrand War Minister. Time after time the political situation—in secret, of course—became acute. These facts were withheld most studiously from the strutting gentlemen in uniform who represented the Courts of Europe at our own Court. All were in utter ignorance of the great German plot. That Kouropatkine and Muravieff were antagonistic was, of course, well known; but none suspected—not even the two Ministers themselves—the adverse plot engineered, through the Empress, from the Wilhelmstrasse.

At Family Luncheon

One day, at a family luncheon at the Palace of Tsarskoe-Selo, things came to a crisis—exactly as the Emperor William had schemed it.

At the table there were present only the Imperial pair, myself, Madame and the two ministers, who had been called to audience upon State affairs and had been invited to luncheon. Alix's sister, the Grand Duchess, should have been present, but on the last moment her lady-in-waiting had told Her Majesty that her sister had a headache, and would not be present.

The meal was, as usual, quite an informal one, even simple as regards the dishes, for Nicholas is not a great eater, and prefers the plainest of food, when suddenly the conversation fell upon the controversy with Japan.

"I contend, your Majesty, if we are to enter upon a struggle with Japan, we must prepare, and prepare quickly," the Count said. "I feel that war is inevitable in the present state of affairs. If so, we must risk nothing. Japan is prepared; we are not."

"I disagree!" declared the Minister of War. "I fear my dear Count, you have not studied the situation. I can give you both facts and figures."

"And I can give you in return secret reports from our Embassy and agencies in Japan that will astound your Excellency," said the Count angrily, for he had proved a paid servant of Potsdam, Muravieff never dreamed of the subtle plot in progress. Japan was the bond enemy was actually playing Germany's clever game, for which he himself was receiving the many thousands of roubles each month through his account at the Deutsche Bank.

"I maintain," he said hotly, "that in view of the enormous distances between Petersburg and Tokio and the difficulties of transport and other things, war should be undertook to us. No. We should take every precaution, and at once set about to prepare."

Fully Convinced

In his own judgment Count Muravieff was fully convinced that war with Japan was at the moment quite inopportune. Even if Russia became victorious, there must be results which might not be to her advantage in the future. That he not in secret six months ago received instructions from Berlin to keep Russia out of war.

Yet the catspaw of Potsdam was in ignorance of the fact that he had been decided by his taskmaster that his sphere of influence was at an end, and that, having served Germany's purpose, he was no longer wanted. He was the truth—the truth which had been conveyed in secret to Alix by Baron von Roth. Muravieff, though he had not the slightest idea of it, upon himself to give his wife instructions in the art of flim-setting. As he played hero to her heroine, she was supposed to resist his attempt to kiss her, but the rehearsal was far from satisfactory.

"Think now," said Kiljoy, coaching her; "haven't you ever tried to stop a young man from kissing you?"

Then the young wife revenged herself.

"No!" she said.

Her ignorance and your inability to weigh the full facts.

"We have our plan of campaign complete in every detail, and, with the Siberian railway now complete, I assure His Majesty that the crushing of Japan is quite a simple matter."

Poor Nikki

"Do you really think so?" asked Nicholas, his elbow upon the table as he listened attentively.

"I am positive of it, your Majesty," replied the loud-voiced old General, "indeed, when the day comes—and it certainly will not be far distant—I shall advise that our best troops be kept at home, as the army in Siberia today can easily accomplish our victory.

"I object to you misleading His Majesty!" cried the Count, jumping impetuously from his chair. "You are eager to bring Russia into a great and disastrous war."

"No!" replied the General. "I merely state the facts, which I, as Minister of War, happen to know. I leave my secret intelligence. You, as Foreign Minister, simply juggle with our affairs by 'notes' and correspondence."

"I do not juggle!" cried the Count, believing that the General was hinting at treachery. "I am as loyal a Russian as you are yourself—perhaps more loyal."

The Empress sat quite calm and collected. She had knowledge of what was to happen, and it had occurred at table suddenly, and, of course, unexpected by her weak Imperial husband.

"I do not doubt your loyalty," declared the General with biting sarcasm, "but I doubt if you know much about military affairs, or our military strength in Siberia."

"I have sufficient to declare that it will be a sorry day for Russia if war occurs with Japan," retorted Muravieff, who was in utter ignorance that, Berlin having no further use for him, he was being made the tool of the Wilhelmstrasse. Though a pro-German intriguer, ever ready to execute the slightest wish of the Kaiser, who had overloaded him with stars and tinsel, as well as directing that good rouble sums of German marks should find their way into his banking account, yet he knew that Japan was hastily preparing and that the struggle would be an unequal one, as he had spoken honestly before the Czar.

Kouropatkine Wins

But His Majesty smiled and exclaimed:

"Really, Count, this is very unseemly. You must allow to our good Kouropatkine knowledge of the military affairs of the nation. You on the diplomatic side are, of course, primed with information from secret sources. But our diplomatic negotiation is one matter and our military intelligence quite another."

At this rebuff from the Emperor the Count remained silent. The Empress raised her eyes to those of her husband and wondered, while Madame sat by, fearful as regarded as witnesses of this quarrel between the two ministers in the imperial presence.

"Count Muravieff is, in my opinion, an excellent director of our foreign relations," remarked the general arrogantly. "But if he has ambition to the Portfolio of War, I am ready instantly, at this moment, to retire."

Muravieff's pale face went white with rage. He saw that, though he had been honestly outspoken for once, he received no support from the Emperor, who was as pliable as putty in the hands of Kouropatkine.

"I have been grossly insulted," he declared in a broken voice. "My loyalty, my honor and my ability have been cast into the melting-pot," and, rising from the table he asked: "I crave Your Majesty's permission to retire."

The Czar, with an inane smile, nodded in the affirmative. That scene was indeed a dramatic one, an incident by which the die was cast for the future of Holy Russia.

"I only repeat to your Majesty that we are fully prepared for the disastrous to us," Muravieff declared openly. "Learn for yourself, and you will see that you, our Emperor are being grossly deceived by this specious optimism."

To Be Continued

What Did She Mean?

Mr. and Mrs. Kiljoy produced their own films and played in them. Mr. Kiljoy was the leading light of the enterprise, and one day it upon himself to give his wife instructions in the art of film-acting. As he played hero to her heroine, she was supposed to resist his attempt to kiss her, but the rehearsal was far from satisfactory.

"Think now," said Kiljoy, coaching her; "haven't you ever tried to stop a young man from kissing you?"

Then the young wife revenged herself.

"No!" she said.

A Dainty Afternoon Frock

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The Heart Breaker

A PRESENT DAY AMERICAN ROMANCE

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

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CHAPTER XXXI.—Continued.

COULD she have read Honora's thoughts as she went on her way the younger girl would not have felt so much perturbed. For Honora was uncomfortable about Mildred's evident vexation. It proved that the child was jealous because Arthur Bruce had written to her sister instead of to her. If this was so, was it fair for her, Honora, to meet Arthur—to have two hours alone with him—hours to which she now knew she was looking forward eagerly?

Then she called herself a fool. Was she actually flattering herself that Arthur had anything to say to her that would bring him any closer to her than he now was? Of course not!

Yet, at the noon-hour, when she re-read his letter, her heart that quickly again. It certainly pounded as if he liked her very much—in spite of her deception of a few nights ago—and that he depended upon her more than ever.

If so, what about Milly? But Milly had said last night that she intended to encourage him just to spite Tom Chandler. If she cared for Arthur she could not have said this.

Yet one never knew what Milly was capable of feeling about anything. She changed her mind as easily and quickly as does an April day.

Such being the case, Honora undoubtedly was perfectly right in complying with the urgent request of such a good and tried friend as Arthur Bruce. And, anyway, he probably had nothing particularly intimate to say to her. She was making a mountain out of a mere mole hill.

Then she tried to put the approaching interview out of her mind and to concentrate all her thoughts upon matters entirely foreign to Arthur or Mildred.

When she returned to the office from luncheon, she timidly asked Mr. Pearson if she might leave soon after 4 o'clock. He smiled at her hesitation.

"You look as if you were afraid that I would not let you go," he reclaimed jocosely. "Of course you may leave at 4. My only stipulation is that you stay out-of-doors instead of inside some stuffy rooms like the Red Cross place or something of that kind."

She smiled brightly. "Oh, thank you!" she said. "I am going to do just the very thing that you stipulate—I mean I was planning to take a walk out into the country this afternoon."

"Good!" he nodded his approval. "Be sure that you leave the office in time to get the benefit of this sunshine we are having today."

When she had returned to her desk in the room adjoining her employer's office, the smile with which he had spoken to her lingered on the man's lips.

"She's a lovely girl," he mused. "I wish I had a daughter just like her."

His kindness sent Honora to her appointment with a lighter heart than she had had all day. She was young, and it took little to set her spirits to soaring.

"Mr. Pearson is so kind, the day is perfect, and," with a quick thrill, "I am going to have a long walk and talk with Arthur!"

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People Constipated and Don't Know It!

It seems odd, but it is true, that you may be constipated and not know it.

You can see why it is. Take a glass and pour in water until full. If you keep on pouring in water after the glass is full, it will run over, but the glass stays full.

Just so with your bowels, they get full of waste matter, and then they pass off or expel from the body only about the same amount that goes into it in the form of food.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To remove a tomato skin easily, rub the tomato rather firmly with the back edge of a knife, as if scrapping off an outer surface. It will then become separated and easy to take off.

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When copper kettles become dull and black, try cleaning them in the following way: Cut a lemon in half, dip it in salt, and rub it all over the surface of the kettle. Afterwards wash well in warm water to prevent the acid eating into the metal, and polish with a dry powdered bath brick.

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To clean carved ivory ornaments, etc., make a paste of sawdust slightly moistened with water and finest lime. Spread the paste on the ivory and allow it to dry thoroughly, then brush it off carefully with a soft brush. Smooth ivory-backed brushes are best cleaned with a small piece of clean flannel dampened and dipped in table salt.

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A nice soap that is specially suitable for use in cold weather, when the hands so quickly get rough and chapped, may be made as follows: Beat three pounds of melted yellow soap together with one ounce of camphor and one ounce of lavender water. The camphor must first be dissolved in the lavender water. When the mixture is reduced to a paste, form into cakes or balls, and let them dry in a cool place.

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When a Girl Marries

Ann Lisle Writes Interestingly of the Trials and Slight Jealousies of a Bride

By Ann Lisle

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CHAPTER LXXI.—Continued

AT the thought of Neal I had a bad moment. Even Neal had turned to Jim — but at that point I caught myself back from gray self-pity. The one splendid friendship that had grown out of our headlong marriage was the tender, understanding big brotherly relation between Jim and Neal. I fixed my mind on that. There was the blue in my sky—the friendship between my boys.

And then like a whirlwind Neal came into the room. He flung himself upon me and, seizing my cold hands in his strong, warm clasp, he began swinging me about at arm's length in a regular whirling-dervish dance.

"I'm fit. They took me. I report Monday. I'm a soldier. Little Ned's off for the artillery camp out near Jamestown. Ain't it gaily? We've got to fall to and pack—pretty darn quick—pronto. Come on, Babbs—give us a hug, and then we'll get busy," he cried all in one stream of trip-hammer notes.

And they fell on my heart with heavy impact. Thud—thud! I hope I'm a patriot. I know I'm proud of my Neal. But I wonder if, when the moment of separation comes, every woman-heart doesn't cry out to Heaven, "Not yet. Not today! Oh, let me keep him a day longer!"

But I bit my lips and steadied my voice as I murmured:

"Boy, dear—I'm proud of you! There will be no soldier finer than my brother. Oh, Neal—how gloriously proud father will be!"

Then we sat and planned for a little while. How soon he'd be a corporal—when he'd get the sergeant's third stripe—and how long after that before they'd discover that he was "officer material." Other women—all over the land—knew that I'm sure. And other women have folded in a tear or two, like lavender, between layers of socks and ties and linens as they packed for their soldier boy.

But Neal didn't see the tears. I was the sister of a soldier now, and if my loneliness was complete, I had to be a big enough woman to hear it without stealing his strength to help me meet it.

An Impossible Suggestion

By six our packing was finished, and then came a wonderful twilight chat. We sat close together on the big couch, and I forgot his boyish horror of being "soft," and sat—quite unashamed—his fingers locked in mine. Whispered confidences, little promises—our youth conjured up again. Then Neal—very shyly:

Babbs—do you think I might have this evening with Phoebe? We may start tomorrow in order to report Monday. I don't know yet."

"You shall have it, lad, dear. I'll see to that." I promised rashly.

But how Virginia was to be managed, I didn't know. Then into our quiet room came Jim and Phoebe arlow with the rest of their afternoon. We told them that Neal was starting for camp at once, and Jim took it as the best news in the world. But Phoebe started back with star-lit eyes and trembling lips.

"Oh, Neal!" she cried. "I'm so proud—and so lonesome."

"Not yet. You aren't going to be lonesome yet awhile Phoebe," cried Neal, beaming with tender joy because she cared. "We're going to have this evening—if Jim is willing."

Phoebe turned to Jim—cheeks ablaze, hands flying out to him.

"Virginia!" she pleaded. "Make her let me have this one evening."

"This evening is yours by every right in the world, children, said Jim. "I'll come with you and tell Jeanie."

Then he limped out with them to claim their one evening from Virginia. After five minutes he came back alone—and with quiet understanding of what Neal's going meant, he caught me to him.

"You'll be lonely, Babbs. I wonder if it wouldn't be better for you if we arrange to share an apartment with Jeanie and Phoebe?" he said.

I gasped and my heart missed a beat. How could I tell Jim that Virginia and I weren't even on speaking terms?

CHAPTER LXXII.

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THE shrill call of the telephone in the living room rang through the early morning darkness of the apartment.

The call was for Neal—he was ordered to report at the station, instead of at the draft board, according to the usual procedure, at 2:30.

"Laddie, dear—wake up. You're starting West today, and there's a lot to do." I whispered.

"Oh, Babbsie—let a fellow sleep! Oh! That's it? So I'm on my way——"

Then suddenly he sat up in bed and shook his fist vindictively.

"Babbs, sit down here for a minute so we can be alone while I tell you about last night. That Virginia!—shut the door, Babbs, so old Jim won't hear. She's got him buffaloed—he's plumb crazy about her.

"Well, Virginia butted in and went along and I didn't have a minute with Phoebe except dancing, and I'd have given anything in this her good-bye, just once."

His voice broke. My heart swelled with a longing to make Neal happy. I held him close—murmuring mothers words of comfort. And then I made a plan.

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THEN THE FUN BEGAN

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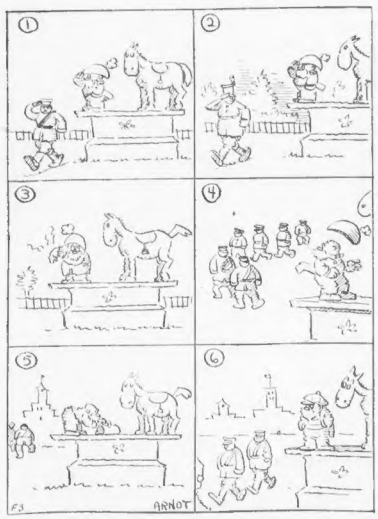

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE, IS LOVE BLIND? —JANE DAVIDSON

YES—AND PICKING A WIFE, IS A GAME—BLIND MAN'S BLUFF!

BRINGING UP FATHER

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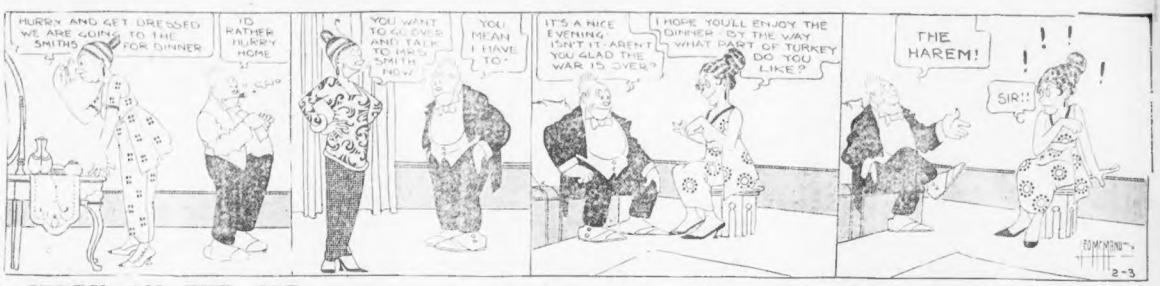

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Yes; He Was There All Right

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And Grandpop Is So Far from a Hydrant

Stocks Quiet and Lower; Trading on Small Scale

MOTOR ISSUES LEADERS IN NEW YORK

Specialties Obtain More Attention Than Most Standard Stocks

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor.

Stocks had improved a little in New York by afternoon. When U. S. Steel had become more active and made a fractional gain. A number of specialties were strong and active in an otherwise dull market. But few issues held attention long, however. The supply of stocks was not large and prices did not yield easily in most instances. Motors were less conspicuous after midday, but held gains well as a class. Studebaker recovered all but a shade of its loss. Consolidated Gas was up nearly two points and International Paper more than one. Call money was loaned and renewed on mixed collateral at 4½ per cent.; all industrials brought 4¾ per cent.

AFTERNOON GAINS AND LOSSES.

Declines around 2 o'clock included Anaconda ⅝ at 59; Inspiration ¼ at 44⅜; Studebaker ⅛ at 51; Texas Co. ¾ at 189; Mexican Petroleum ⅝ at 165½; Republic Steel ⅝ at 72; Cuba Cane ⅜ at 23¾; Marine common ⅛ at 21½, preferred 1⅜ at 96½; N. Y. Air Brake 1⅞ at 91¼; Reading ⅛ at 78½, and Corn Products ⅝ at 46½.

Among gains were U. S. Steel ⅛ at 89½, Bethlehem B ⅛ at 57¼; General Motors 2⅝ at 127⅞, Willys-Overland ¼ at 25, Great Northern Ore ⅝ at 38½, Consolidated Gas 1⅝ at 95¾, International Paper 1⅛ at 32¼, and U. S. Rubber ⅝ at 75½.

In Boston Swift & Co. was off a point at 117⅞, and other declines included Boston Elevated ½ at 68½; Massachusetts Electric preferred ½ at 13⅜, and Stewart Co. ⅝ at 26. Among gains were United Fruit ½ at 161½, New Haven ¼ at 21½, and Copper Range ¼ at 42½.

MARKET WEAK AT NOON.

Stocks were still rather weak when noon was reached, but ranged above the lowest level of the morning. The price movement was very irregular from the beginning and, while recessions were the rule, the trend was indistinct. There were strong as well as weak spots. Steels, rails and coppers were quiet. There was activity in one and motors. In regard to the latter group, much of the business is said to have been due to pool manipulation. There was some trading in Marines. They were weak. American Hide and Leathers were strong. New York Air Brake failed to recover its early loss. There are rumors that its dividend rate may be reduced. Motor stocks were, on the whole, the most interesting group during the forenoon.

HEAVY AFTER OPENING.

The New York market was irregular at the opening, but had a heavy tone and soon became weak. Trading was dull and wholly professional. No interest was shown by the public and little initiative on the part of any habitual operators. In most instances fluctuations were fractional, but Brooklyn Rapid Transit began with a good gain and New York Air Brake weakened more than a point. During the first hour Studebaker, one of the most active issues, was under selling pressure owing to the plan of this corporation to appropriate $15,000,000 through the sale of notes for wiping out all floating debt and constructing an $8,000,000 plant at South Bend, Ind. A clause in the note indenture says if the total of net quick assets falls below 200 per cent. of all liabilities, common dividends must be suspended. Studebaker receded but recovered part of its loss during the second hour.

OILS A WEAK GROUP.

Oils opened firm, but receded quickly, Texas Co. selling off nearly four points during the morning. Anaconda, which produced 15,500,000 pounds of copper during January, and Inspiration were among coppers to show losses. Railroads during that period were neglected, as they have seldom been. Marine issues sold lower. U. S. Steel was off a fraction and had a narrow range. It was comparatively inactive. For awhile there was more business in Studebaker. The trading element was bearish in view, but comment in business and financial circles was tinged with more confidence.

FINANCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

Although most concerns report a decrease in business for the month, Sears, Roebuck & Co.'s sales increased $4,838,405, or 32.7 per cent., in January. They totalled $19,609,527 for the month.

Steel mills in the Chicago district are operating around 75 per cent. of capacity, but new business received is disappointing as to volume.

For December the New York Central's net after taxes decreased $2,849,896 and the decrease for twelve months was $8,159,459. For the month operating revenue increased $8,294,022 and expenses $11,359,182; for the year revenue increased $56,861,514 and expenses $61,861,576.

January clearings in Chicago do not indicate dull trade. They totalled $2,844,990,527, compared with $2,343,641,166 for March last, when the high record figure was attained.

William G. Rice has been elected chairman of the Superior & Boston Copper Company directors, and T. H. Drummond was made president of the company. The latter was also elected a director.

A. H. Smith, director of railroads in the East, reports a normal situation in his region and current handling of traffic, but says business conditions warrant expectation of decreased traffic owing to discontinuance of war orders and the attitude of buyers, who are waiting for lower prices. He expects less in gross earnings for the roads for the first six months of the year despite increased rates.

New York Stocks

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange from the opening until 2 p. m. had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Adv. Rumley	23¼	23½	23¼	23½
Adv Rumley pf	60¾	61	60½	60¾
Am Ag Chem	100¼	100½	100¼	100½
Alaska	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Al Jun	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Am Beet Sug	68¾	68¾	68¼	68¾
Am Can	46½	47	46½	46¾
Am Car & Fdy	88½	88½	88¼	88½
Am Cot Oil	43½	43½	43½	43½
Am Druggist S	12½	12½	12½	12½
Am H & L	17	17½	17	17½
Am H & L pf	78	78	77½	78¾
Am Linseed Oil	46½	46½	46½	46½
Am Smelting	70½	71	70½	71
Am Su F'dries	78½	78½	78½	78½
Am Tel & Te	100½	100½	99½	99¾
Anaconda	[illegible]	[illegible]	59½	59
Asso D. Gds	19½	19½	19	19
Atchison	90	[illegible]	90	90
[illegible]	57	57	57	57
Baldwin Loco	68¼	68¾	68½	68½
Balt & Ohio	48	48	47½	47¾
Balt & Ohio pf	54½	54½	54½	54½
Bethlehem B	110½	111½	110½	110½
Butte & S	17½	17½	17½	17½
Beth Steel B	57	58¼	57	57¼
Brooklyn R T	21	21½	20¾	20¾
Cal Packing	51½	51½	51½	51½
Cal Petrol	23	23	22¾	23
Chandler	113	113½	113½	113½
Chi & Gt W	14½	14¾	14½	14½
Chi M & St P	37	37	36½	36½
Chi M & St P pf	72½	72½	72	72
Chi R I & P	23¼	23¼	23¼	23¼
Chile	18½	18½	18½	18½
Cons Gas	95½	95¾	95¼	95½
Corn Prod	47	47	46¾	47
Crucible Steel	53½	53½	53	53½
Cuba Cane Sug	24	24	23¾	23¾
Cuba Cane Sug pf	77	77	76	76¾
Distillers Sec	54¾	54¾	53¾	54
Dome Mines	11	11	10¾	11
Erie	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Gaston & W & W	28¾	28¾	27¾	27¾
Gen Elec	148	148	148½	147
Gen Motors	126¾	129	126	127½
Goodrich	61	61	60¾	60¾
Granby	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Greene-Can	42½	[illegible]	[illegible]	42½
Gt Nor Ore	38	38¼	37¾	38½
Gt Nor Ry pf	91½	91½	91	91½
Ins Copper	44¼	44½	43¾	44
Interboro Cons	5	5	5	6
Int Nickel	[illegible]	28¾	28½	28¾
Int Paper	31	31¾	31	31½
Kelly-Springfield	79½	79½	79½	79½
Kennecott	32½	32½	32½	32½
Lack Steel	66	66	66	66
Lee Rubber	24	24	23¾	24
Lehigh Val	55½	55½	55	55
Lig & My pf	108	108	108	108
Loose-Wiles	44	44½	44	44
Maxwell	30½	30½	30¾	30¾
Maxwell 1st pf	[illegible]	[illegible]	53	53
Maxwell 2d pf	22½	[illegible]	22½	22½
[illegible] pf	106	106	106	106
Mer Marine	21½	21½	21½	21¼
Mer Marine pf	97¾	97¾	96	96¾
Mex Petrol	166½	166½	163¾	165
Miami	22½	22½	22½	22½
Midvale Stl	41¾	41¾	41¼	41½
Mo Pacific	23½	23½	23½	23½
Mo Pacific pf	52	52	51½	51½
Nat'l Conduit	14½	14½	14½	14½
Nevada Cons	17	17	17	17
New Haven	28½	28½	28½	28½
N. Y. Air Brke	92	92½	91¼	91½
N Y Central	72½	72½	72½	72½
No Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	90	[illegible]
Chino Cities Gas	38¼	38¼	37½	38¼
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	8	8
Ont Silver	7¾	[illegible]	7¾	7¾
Pac Mail	34¼	34¼	34¼	34¼
Pan Am Petrol	67½	67½	67	67¼
Penn R R	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Pierce-Arrow	40	40½	40	40½
Pierce Oil	17½	17½	17¼	17½
Pitts Coal	45	45	45	45
Pitts & W Va	34½	34½	34½	34½
Reading	78½	78½	78½	78½
Rep I & S	72	72	72	72
Royal Dutch	74½	74½	74½	74½
Saxon Motor Car	9¾	11	9¾	10½
Shat Ariz	11½	11½	11½	11½
Sin Oil	15½	15½	15	15
So Railway	26½	26½	26½	26½
So Pacific	97½	97½	97½	97½
St Louis & S F	12	12	11¾	11¾
Studebaker	51¼	51¼	49¾	50¾
Texas Co	188½	188½	187¼	189
Tex & Pac	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
*Tobacco Prod	67½	67½	67	67
Un Cigar S	111½	112	111½	112
Un Alloy Stl	38¾	38¾	38½	38½
Un Pac	79	79	79	79
U S Ind Alco	103¼	103¾	103¾	103¾
U S Alcono	102½	102½	102½	102½
U S Rub	74½	75½	74½	75
U S Steel	89½	89¾	89¼	89½
Va Ca Chem	53¼	53¾	53¼	53½
Utah Copper	69½	69½	69½	69½
Wabash	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Westinghouse	41½	41½	41	41
Willys-Overland	25½	25½	24½	25¼
Willys-Overland pf	85½	85½	85½	85½
Woolworth	127	127	127	127

*Ex-dividend

New York Curb

Bid and ask prices on the New York Curb at the opening today were:

	Saturday's close	Today's Bid	Ask
Am. Oil	7½	7⅛	7⅜
Boston & Montana	49c	49c	50c
Cal. Jerome	⅝	⅝	⅞
Caledonia Cop		2	2¼
Cons Arizona	1 3-16	1⅛	1¼
Cosden		6⅝	6
Cosden	7⅜	7	7¼
Curtiss Aero		11	13
Emerson		2	2½
Gen Asphalt	60¾	60½	60¾
Glenrock	3⅝	3⅝	3⅞
Goldfield		18c	21c
Hecla Mining	4 5-16	4¼	4½
Jerome Verde	..	⅝	¾
Lake Boat	..	1¼	1⅜
McKinley Dar	..	45c	47c
Merrit	..	20½	21½
Sapulpa	7	7	7¼
Sinclair Gulf	..	24¾	25
Standard Motors	..	7½	8½
Submarine Boat	11	11	11¼
United Motors	36½	37¼	37½
U. S. Steamship	3⅛	3⅛	3⅜
U. Verde Ext		32	33
Victoria	2⅜	2¼	2½
Wright Martin	3	3⅛	3¼
Russian 5½s	58		58
Russian 6½s	62	60	62

N. Y. COTTON MARKET FIRM AT OPENING

New York, Feb. 3.—The cotton market opened firm today, and first prices were 25 to 46 points higher. Trading was active. Liverpool was one point lower to 26 points higher, with the near months relatively easy and March 16 points higher. There was buying by Liverpool, while New Orleans houses and the South were sellers. After the call the market ruled steady, although prices eased slightly.

Opening prices were: March 23.15; May 21.88; July 21.08; September 20.80; October 19.75; December 19.55.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Corn opened 1⅛c to ⅝c higher. Oats were ¼ to ½c higher. Provisions opened lower. Opening prices were: Corn, Feb., 1.26; March, 1.23, May, 1.18¾ to ⅞. Oats, Feb., 52½; March, 56⅝; May, 57⅛ to ¼. Pork, May, 37.35. Lard, May, 22.75. Ribs, May, 20.70.

PRODUCERS FIRM FOR 23-CENT COPPER

Boston Company Would Not Consider Sale of Millions of Pounds at 19

The situation in the copper metal market was unchanged at the end of the week. The lowest price at which small sellers are reported to have offered electrolytic was 18½ cents a pound for February delivery. In regard to the price attitude of producers, it is stated that a Boston mining company which is a large producer replied to a query from its New York agent if it would sell several million pounds at 19 cents that it intended to maintain its present price of 23 cents for the present at least. The possible purchaser is one of the largest American consumers and wanted immediate metal.

SALES HAVE BEEN SMALL.

Sales at 19 cents or under are understood to have been for trifling tonnage. Large producers seem to be as willing to wait for a market as consumers are to hold off for lower prices. Meanwhile mines are curtailing their output or shutting off operations. The Winona and the Hancock mines are the latest in the Lake district to report suspension. It is said that under present conditions it is costing the Hancock management 22 cents a pound to produce copper.

SLIDING SCALE OF WAGES.

It is reported from Washington that the sliding scale is to be applied to mining wages in the West. Miners are now being paid on the basis of 25 or 26-cent copper. Around Butte they are getting about $5.50 a day, and on the basis of 19 or 20-cent metal would receive around $4.50. The situation as regards wages is said to be causing more worry in mining circles now than a stagnant market. Some of the mine managements would rather close down until there is a demand for metal than to keep on accumulating surplus, but will keep on operating on a curtailed scale to provide miners with employment. It is believed that an understanding of the situation on the part of the men will prevent strikes.

But representatives of miners are now in Washington and in conference with Secretary of Labor Wilson and other government officials. It is hoped by the delegates that wages will not be cut materially.

PLAN TO SET STEEL PRICES IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Feb. 3.—The newly-formed Western Association of Rolled Steel Manufacturers has inaugurated a movement to have Chicago established as a primary price-fixing point for steel, co-equal with Pittsburgh. Pittsburgh prices now are used as a basis for the entire country.

The executive committee of the Western Association of Rolled Steel Manufacturers, at a meeting here, determined to have Chicago prices used as a basis for the West. It was pointed out that the Chicago steel producing district manufactures 10,000,000 tons of steel products. The Western steel men contend that the cost of producing steel in the Chicago district is 27 per cent. less than at Pittsburgh. Because Pittsburgh prices are used as a basis the Western consumer must pay the Pittsburgh price f. o. b. mills there, plus the freight from Pittsburgh to Chicago, for steel manufactured in Chicago or its suburbs.

January Stock Sales

During January share transactions on the New York Stock Exchange totalled 11,598,200 shares. It was the smallest total for that month since 1915. January bond transactions on the other hand broke all records for that month, totalling $227,078,000. Transactions in Liberty Bonds account for this.

Boston Bank Statement

The Boston bank statement for the week ended Feb. 1 shows a cash excess and in Federal Reserve Bank of $14,077,000, a decrease of $620,000 from the previous week.

London Stocks and Bonds

London, Feb. 3.—The London stock market was dull today. Government securities ranged lower. Among quotations were: Consols, 59¾, off ⅛; 3½ per cent. war loan, 88⅝; 5s, 94 15-16, off 1-16; 4½s, 99¼; 4s, 102¼; French 5s, 86⅝, up ⅛; Russian 5s, 57; 4½s, 48; 4s, 42.

Boston Federal Reserve Bank

The report of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston as to its condition at the close of business on January 31 this year is as follows:

RESOURCES.

Gold and gold certificates in settlement fund	$45,288,493	
In bank	3,634,870	
Gold with foreign	408,021	
Total	$49,331,384	
5 p. c. redempt'n fund	8,908,923	
Gold with federal reserve agent	52,220,025	
Total	$110,460,333	
Legal tender notes, silver certificates, subsidiary coin, etc.	4,164,196	
Total reserve		$114,624,529
Bills discounted and bought: Rediscounted paper	95,741,784	
Member bank collateral notes	30,114,150	
Bank acceptances	19,781,057	
Total		$145,636,991
U. S. bonds		538,470
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		9,416,0 0
Uncollected items		51,86 ,21
Real estate		800 00
All other items		752,0 7
Total resources		$323,633,234

LIABILITIES.

Capital paid in	$6,778,200
Surplus	1,335,000
Government deposits	9,490,974
Due to member banks reserve account	102,814,612
Collection items	39,175,294
Federal reserve notes in actual circulation	149,564,927
Federal reserve bank notes in actual circulation	8,260,400
All other liabilities	6,023,227
Total liabilities	$323,633,234

Boston Stocks

Prices on the Boston Stock Exchange from the opening until 2 p. m. had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Ahmeek	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
Am Ag Chem	100⅞	100⅞	100¼	100⅞
Am Pneu Serv	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Am Pneu pf	5¾	5¾	5½	5½
Am Sug Ref pf	115½	115½	115	115
Am Tel & Tel	100	100	99½	99¾
Am Woolen pf	94	94½	94	94½
Am Zinc	11	11	11	11
Anaconda	59½	59½	59½	59½
Ariz Commercial	12	12	12	12
Atl Gulf	97	97	97	97
A G & W I	65	65	65	65
Booth Fisheries	19	19½	19	19½
Boston Elevated	68½	68½	68½	68½
Boston Elevated pf	95	96	95	96
Boston Suburban	7	7	7	7
Butte-Balaklava	30	30	30	30
Cal & Arizona	59¾	60	59¾	60
Century Steel	14½	14¾	14½	14¾
Copper Range	42	42½	42	42½
Cuban Port Cement	12½	12½	12½	12½
Daly-West	2⅞	3	2⅞	3
East Butte	9	9	9	9
Eastern Steamship	7	7	7	7
Fairbanks? K K	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
Gorton-Pew	30½	30½	30	30
Hancock	4¾	4¾	4½	4¾
Island Creek pf	80	80	80	80
Isle Royale	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
Lake	5½	5½	5½	5½
Mass Electric	2½	[illegible]	[illegible]	2½
Mass Electric pf	13½	14	13½	13½
Mass Gas Co	82½	82½	82½	82½
Mass Gas Co pf	70	70	70	70
Mayflower-Old C	2¾	[illegible]	2⅝	2¾
Michigan Mining	3	3	3	3
New Haven R R	28½	28½	28¼	28½
New Idria	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Nipissing	8½	8½	8½	8½
North Butte	[illegible]	[illegible]	10¼	10¼
Old Colony R R	98	98	98	98
Old Dom Cop	34	34	34	34
Pacific Mills	150	150	150	150
Pond Creek Coal	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Quincy	67	67½	67	67½
Reece Button Hole	15	15	14½	14½
Seneca Copper	13½	13½	13½	13½
Stewart Mfg Corp	26¼	26¼	25¾	25¾
Swift & Co	118¾	118¾	117½	118
Trinity Copper	2	2	2	[illegible]
United Drug Co	95	95½	95	95½
United Drug 2d pf	93	93½	93	93½
United Fruit	161	161½	161	161½
United Shoe Mach	45	45	44½	44½
U S Mining	29	28	28	28
U S Smelting pf	45¾	45¾	45¼	45¼
U S Steel	89¼	89½	89¼	89½
Utah Apex	2½	2½	2½	2½
Utah Metals	1½	1½	1½	1½
Ventura Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Walworth	18	18	18	18
Warren Bros 1st pf	44½	44½	43½	44¼
Warren Bros	43	43	43	43
W E R R	45	45	45	45
W E R R pf	54	54	54	54

GOVERNMENT BONDS

Lib L 3½s	98 74	98 90	98 74	98 80
1st 4's, 1932-47	92 74	92 74	92 74	92 74
2d 4¼'s, 1927-42	94 24	94 45	94 24	94 40
3d 4¼'s, 1928	95 24	95 52	95 24	95 40
4th 4¼'s, 1938	94 60	94 64	94 54	94 40
1st 4¼s	94 74	94 74	94 74	94 74
2d 4¼s	94 04	94 04	94 04	94 04

BONDS

Chi June 5s	94	94	94	94
Am Tel & Tel 6s	113	113	112½	113
At Gulf & W I 5s	80	80	80	80
N E T 5s	93	93	93	93
Ventura 7s	96	96	96	96
W T & T 5s	90	90	90	90

Boston Curb

Opening prices on the Boston Curb today were:

	Saturday's close	Today's opening
Am. Oil	5⅛	5
Bost. & Montana	50c	49c
Chief Cons	3⅛	3⅛
Crystal Cop	20c	20c
Denbigh	60c	55c
First National	2⅞	1⅞
Iron Cap common	15	15
Nixon Nevada	40c	40c
Palisade	10c	10c
Pilgrim	58c	58c
Seven Metals	40c	39c

1918 SHOWS DECREASE IN GOLD MOVEMENT

Both exportation and importation of gold decreased in 1918. Gold imports in December were $1,765,692, a decrease of $154,517 from November, and for the year fell to $61,658,129, a decrease of $494,806,787 from 1917, but were $4,270,388 more than the $57,387,741 of gold received in 1914. Exports for December last fell $1,467,911 below November, and for the year declined $330,814,966 from 1917. Both imports and exports reflect the change from an open world market to control by government.

American Can Dividend

American Can common stock has been one of the leading issues in speculation in years past but has not figured much on the tape of late. Occasionally nowadays talk is heard of the possibility of dividends on common being inaugurated. It is said that if $11,872,000 5 per cent. debentures were liquidated by the company there would be no obstacle. No statement as to 1918 operations is at hand, but for 1917 the company's operating income was $21,935,042, and its net income $11,892,859, or at the rate of 21.34 per cent. on common stock.

Boston Company's Gas Output

The January output of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company was 613,967,000 cubic feet, an increase of 4.6 per cent. over the corresponding month of 1918.

Canadian Coal Mining

For the first nine months of 1918 coal production of the Province of Alberta is estimated at 4,500,000 tons as compared with 3,100,000 tons for the same period in 1917.

More Oil Wells

The number of producing oil wells was increased in January by 1,575, it is stated by the Oil City Derrick. They represented new production of 118,167 barrels.

New York Sub-Treasury Loss

New York, Feb. 3.—The sub-treasury lost $489,000 to the banks on Saturday, making a cash net loss since Friday of $2,306,000.

Dividend Declarations

The American Caramel Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. on the preferred stock, payable Feb. 10 to holders of record Feb. 1.

The directors of the American Foreign Securities Company have declared a dividend of 5 per cent. on the stock of the company, payable February 15 on stock of record at that date.

The Southern California Edison Company has declared usual dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the common stock, payable February 15 on stock of record January 31.

The Riverside Eastern Oil Company has declared regular quarterly dividend of 8¾ per cent. on the preferred, and the Riverside Western Oil Company has declared usual quarterly dividend of 43¾ on the preferred, both payable February 5. Books closed January 31, reopen February 5.

ETHEL STEELE of "The Better 'Ole" company who comes from village of Punxsutawney.

Ethel Steel of "The Better 'Ole" company went motoring with several other players yesterday and the outfit got lost in the Blue Hills.

After running up one road and down another they finally saw a sign "Hoosicwhisick."

The curiosity of the troopers was excited by this relic of the Indians and when a little later they encountered "Ponkapoag" one of the motorists declared:

"There is no use in talking. Boston's suburbs have any part of the country beat for funny names."

"Oh, no they don't," declared Miss Steele. "Pittsburgh's suburbs are even worse. The name of the village I come from is Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania, and it is not so far from Pittsburgh."

As Miss Steele had not admitted ever before that she wasn't a Metropolitan product the revelation of her birthplace caused a sensation.

Ethel added that it is a real town with a good high school from which she graduated.

It appears that when she was visiting in Denver Miss Steele became infected with the stage virus, and meeting up with another country girl named Ruby de Remer, the pair struck New York and hit Flo Ziegfeld for a job in the Follies. They both landed instantly.

It took Miss Steele several seasons to climb out of the show girl class but she has achieved an important role in "The Better 'Ole."

REFUSE TO CUT 'RAVISHED ARMENIA'

In spite of the protest of Boston society leaders that thousands of feet of the motion picture film "Ravished Armenia" should be cut out of the picture as being too shocking for public display, the producers of the film, backed by a special report from the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures, will continue to produce the play at Symphony Hall.

The sub-committee of the main members of the local Armenian Relief Committee, headed by Moorfield Story, saw the production and refused to agree to its being shortened.

The report on this photoplay made by the national board includes the following general comment:

"A frank, straightforward exposition of the sufferings of Armenia, which makes a sincere and powerful appeal to every drop of red blood in America's manhood and womanhood." The report also states that the play is a "gripping" story with excellent technical handling, admirable historical value and elevating in moral effect.

Following the agreement of Mr. Story to let the play stand as it is, additional demands were made upon Mr. H. E. Hancock, special representative of the Motion Picture Committee in this city to make certain eliminations in the film. These demands were refused and a distinct coolness has arisen between the members of the Boston committee and the representatives of the Motion Picture Committee.

"The trouble is," said Mr. Hancock, "that this picture tells the truth and does not attempt to conceal anything that occurred during the deportation and massacre of 3,000,000 Armenians."

CAPT. McCABE OF YALE RETURNS AS WAR HERO

St. John, N. B., Feb. 3.—Twice wounded and decorated by the Italian War Bureau for services while serving with the British army on the Italian front, Captain T. T. McCabe, formerly a professor of English at Yale University, was one of the most interesting of the war heroes to return on the steamship Grampian, which docked here. The division with which Professor McCabe served played a conspicuous part as assault troops in the fighting along the Piave. Captain McCabe left today for New Haven to resume his duties at Yale.

TO ENLARGE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU ON COMMON

Demands for more efficient work by the Service Men's Employment Bureau on Boston Common have resulted in plans which will give the bureau three times as much floor space and better office facilities.

The Food Administration Building in the rear of Liberty Hall is to be taken over, and connected with a portable building. Ralph B. Williams, chairman of the employment committee, states that employers of labor have been demanding more intelligent classification of ex-service men seeking work which could not be made in inadequate quarters inadequately furnished.

FINANCIAL AID GIVEN 3,000 MOTHERS

Bay State Law Provides Adequate Relief for Needy

You know we have a Mothers' Aid Law in Massachusetts? Yes, there are 3,000 cases and more than 10,000 children receiving help under its provisions. Its purpose is to enable the needy mother to bring up her children properly in her own home.

"Let's print an informative story about it," said the managing editor.

"That is so good of the American," said Mrs. Elizabeth F. Moloney, the modest, motherly woman in charge of the system, "because it will bring just the information that is needed to many, many mothers and families which, because of lack of knowledge of the law, are deprived of the assistance to which they are entitled."

So here is the story by an expert:

THE MASSACHUSETTS MOTHERS' AID LAW.

By Mrs. ELIZABETH F. MOLONEY,
Supervisor of Mothers' Aid.

PROVIDE ADEQUATE RELIEF.

Chapter 763, Acts of 1913, an act to provide for suitably aiding mothers with dependent children, is commonly known as "The Mothers' Aid Law." It went into effect September 1, 1913.

Under this law adequate relief is provided for a fit and needy mother with dependent children under fourteen years of age. The aid is non-pauperizing and is supposed to be sufficient to enable the mother to bring up her children properly in her own home. The money granted is not a pension. It is relief given to offset the economic handicap caused by the loss of the father's wages.

Since it is relief, this law is administered by the local relief officers, namely the overseers of the poor of the cities and towns, and it is supervised by the central relief agency, the State Board of Charity.

The law applies not only to widows, but also to mothers whose husbands are tubercular or insane, or whose husbands are in jail for long-term sentences, or, in certain cases, to mothers whose husbands have deserted or who have been legally separated or divorced.

MOTHER MUST BE IN NEED.

In order to be eligible for this aid a mother must be fit to bring up her children; she must have a suitable home and the other members of the household and surroundings of the home must be such as make for good character; she must have her dependent children under fourteen years of age living with her; she must be in need of aid from the Overseers, and she must have resided in Massachusetts for three years next prior to the date of her application.

The State's share is one-third of the expense in cases where the mother has a legal settlement in any city or town in Massachusetts, or the whole expense in cases where the mother has no legal settlement in any city or town in Massachusetts.

There is no per capita allowance, the only stipulation being, "That the aid furnished shall be sufficient to enable the mothers to bring up their children properly in their own homes." The family is considered the unit. Its weekly expenses for rent, fuel, food and clothing are estimated, the age and health conditions of each member of the family being taken into consideration in making the estimate.

The net weekly income of the family from earnings of children of working age, from rental of rooms, or from any regular income from funds, etc., are reckoned. The difference between the weekly expenses of the family and its net income per week indicates the amount of aid needed in a given family. Aid is automatically closed when the youngest child reaches the age of fourteen years.

3,000 ACTIVE CASES.

There are at present more than 3,000 active cases receiving Mothers' Aid in Massachusetts. In these families there are over 10,000 dependent children under fourteen years of age.

Nearly one-third of all the Mothers' Aid families live in the city of Boston. All of the thirty-eight cities of the State and more than 150 of the towns have active cases at the present time.

The amount of money appropriated by the Legislature for State reimbursement of cities and towns for Mothers' Aid cases last year was $475,000. In addition to this amount, the cities and towns, out of their own treasuries, paid about $600,000, so that Mothers' Aid costs in the aggregate about $1,000,000 a year.

FOREIGN TRADE COUNCIL TO HOLD CONVENTION

The National Foreign Trade Council will hold its sixth annual national foreign trade convention at Congress Hotel, Chicago, on April 24, 25, 26. While these conventions have drawn a large number of representative business men from all parts of the country in the past, this is the first time that representatives of labor will be added, thus supplying the delegates with a broader view of the business situation.

One of the important things to come up at the convention is the formation of a definite policy dealing with the future of our new shipping.

U. S. TO RETURN SHIPS BORROWED FROM DUTCH

Washington, Feb. 3.—Dutch ships now in the service of the United States will be immediately returned to Holland.

These vessels, eighty-seven in number, with an aggregate dead weight tonnage of 539,000 tons, were taken over May 20, 1918, under a proclamation by President Wilson. They have since been used by the Shipping Board and Navy Department.

WORK ON MILLION-DOLLAR DRYDOCK IS COMMENCED

Newport, R. I., Feb. 3.—Work has commenced at the plant of the Narragansett Shipbuilding Company in Portsmouth, R. I., on a 20,000 ton floating drydock for the Shipping Board. The work, it is estimated, will cost approximately $1,000,000 and will not be completed for seven or eight months. When completed it will be taken to New York.

Architects to Meet

The Boston Society of Architects holds its next regular meeting tomorrow night at the Boston Architectural Club, No. 16 Somerset street.

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CHAUFFEUR, 25 years old, wishes position with private family or light truck; A1 references; 5 years' experience on all cars, garage, repair shop; references. J. J. RYAN, 191 Warren st., Randolph, Mass.; honorably discharged from U. S. army.

CHAUFFEUR—Discharged soldier from U. S. army wishes position by hour, day or week, 6 years' experience, excellent references. G 2, Boston American.

CHAUFFEUR — Can do repairing, discharged from army, will do anything. Anywhere around Boston; will give me a job? SAMUEL I. WINER, 21 Alden st., Malden.

CHAUFFEUR—Married, 31 years, 9 years' experience in auto repairing and driving and sales of cars, recently honorably discharged from army, desires position with private family or demonstrator for automobile concern. Address 241 Columbus av., Boston; Back Bay 3477-M.

CHAUFFEUR, honorably discharged, desires position in a private family, had 6 years' experience on driving and repairing; prefer position near home, if it is possible. C. P. SANDALE, 7 Essex st., Lawrence, Mass.

CHAUFFEUR—Just discharged from U. S. army, wishes position in private family, careful driver; can drive any car; do my own repairing, can furnish best of references. Address G 3, Boston American.

CHEMIST—Have had four-year course in chemical engineering; experienced in photomicrographic work; honorably discharged from Research Division of Chemical Warfare Service. A. R., No. 3 Buckman st., Everett, Mass.

CHEMIST'S position wanted by graduate of a large New England college, served two years as instructor in chemistry; honorable discharge from chemical warfare service; must find work. Address C 66, Boston American.

CIVIL ENGINEER, graduate 1918, one year's experience; accountant, six years' experience, desires position permanent or temporary; eight months' service, first sergeant, U. S. Army Engineers. Address F. M. IRELAND, Gloucester, Mass.

COLLEGE DEGREE MAN (sergeant U. S. A., discharged), trained and experienced in accounting, business administration and secretarial work, desires position along those lines; age 22. Address F 51, Boston American.

COLLEGE GRADUATE, recently discharged from the army, scientific training, desires to get connection with a responsible house. Address D. M. N., 14 Page st., Dorchester, Mass.

CORRESPONDENT CLERK—Credit and collection experience; recently released from U. S. navy as chief yeoman, 10½ months foreign sea service; interview appreciated. Address Box R 537, Boston Advertiser, 82 Boylston st.

CLERICAL WORKER—Young man, 22, business college graduate, 2½ years' office experience, desires clerical position; recently released from the navy. F. M. MELANSON, 22 Baldwin st., Malden.

COLLEGE GRADUATE, just discharged from the U. S. army, desires position of any kind where opportunity for advancement is assured. Address Y 83, Boston American.

COLLEGE student, recently released from navy, desires work of any kind evenings, Saturdays, Sundays and mornings till 8:30 a. m. Write to C. H. TORREY, 198 W. Brookline st., Boston, Mass.

COMMERCIAL SIGN PAINTER — Three years' experience in electrical display work; student of Art School, ex-soldier, wishes position in this vicinity. F 53, Boston American.

CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER, 10 years' experience, recently discharged from army, understands concrete construction thoroughly; has filled position as carpenter and labor foreman, desires position. Address F 48, Boston American.

CORPORAL, honorably discharged from the army, can read, write and talk English, Italian and French, would take any position. V. E. MOTTOLA, care of Rev. J. Romolo, 64 Linden av., Somerville, Mass.

DENTAL MECHANIC—Discharged soldier from U. S. army requires position for reasonable price. Write MARTIN YAGOOBY, 17 Trumbull st., Worcester, Mass.

DISCHARGED chauffeur from motor corps would like position driving truck or touring car, 3 years' experience. T. P. MONAHAN, 29 Leyland st., Dorchester.

DISCHARGED from naval aviation, former experience as salesman, wish to make my home in the South, would be pleased to consider a position as local agent or distributor operating along the gulf coast towns. C 94, Boston American.

DISCHARGED from army, want position as chauffeur, G 13, Boston American.

DISCHARGED SAILOR, 23 years, would like a position with any good firm offering a future; a high school graduate and 1 year at prep school. Address C 51, Boston American.

DISCHARGED SAILOR wants position on valuation work as topographical draftsman or instrument man; best of references. 118 Main st., Sanford, Me.

DISCHARGED SAILOR wants position on valuation work as topographical draftsman or instrument man; best of references. Box M 515, Boston Advertiser, 82 Boylston st.

DISCHARGED sailor would like position with a reliable manufacturing company; will do any kind of work. GEORGE A. LANGILL, 180 Blue Hill av., Roxbury, Mass.

DISCHARGED SAILOR wishes position at anything; will work for reasonable wages. Address F 50, Boston American.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER, 3 years in trenches, 9 months prisoner, American, served with British army, desires employment in any capacity; 15 years' experience auto business; private chauffeur or any position in private family; permanent employment more object than wages. C 80, Boston American.

DICHARGED SOLDIER—Experienced solicitor, would like proposition, wholesale, retail or house-to-house on commission basis; must show definite possibilities of $5 or more per day. Address FRANK E. BAKER, 9 Grafton st., Brockton, Mass.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER wishes position whereby he can gain knowledge of salesmanship; willing worker. Address WM. Q. ROUSE, 87 Silsbee st., Lynn, Mass.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER, experienced salesman, upper leather, will try any good, legitimate proposition. C 74, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier, 21 years of age, desires position of any kind in or around Boston, best of references. MORRIS S. SANDLER, 43 Woolson st., Mattapan, Mass.

DISCHARGED soldier would like work in electrical line. J. E. H., City News Agcy., Burlington, Vt.

ELECTRICIAN'S helper, recently discharged from U. S. Army, would like position; have had six months' experience. Address Y 85, Boston American.

ELECTRIC arc welder, discharged from air service, wishes job, some experience on acetylene. Address Y 81, Boston American.

ELECTRICIAN desires position on inside or outside work; 36 years of age, married and recently discharged from the army. ROSS L. BRYANT, 16 Washington st., Burlington, Vt.

ELECTRICIAN by trade, honorably discharged soldier, two years' experience as electrician, want to go to work at once. JOHN A. JOHNSON, Knights of Columbus Home, 82 Berkeley st., city.

EX-ARMY OFFICER, air service engineer, is open for a position with an aeroplane company; experienced in all branches of construction and maintenance of planes and motors; best of references. M 52, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED salesman and general office man, honorably discharged sailor, would like to get in touch with small reputable concern where after learning business would become materially interested. Box Y 525, Boston Daily Advertiser.

EXPERIENCED chauffeur would like position with private family or light truck in or around Boston (private car or light truck); experience on all cars; honorably discharged U. S. Army. J. J. G., 191 Warren st., Randolph, Mass.

FIREMAN without State license wants position where there is good advancement; have had two years' experience; just discharged from navy. Tel. evenings; ask for O. GROOMS, tel. 6263-W Dor.

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GIVE AWAY TO YOU—My faithful services for a fair living wage; honorably discharged non-commissioned officer of the U. S. army wishes a position as steward in hotel, club or steamship; have several years of experience in cooking, baking and buying of supplies; I have been instructor of baking and cooking in the army for eighteen months, with the rank of sergt. 1st class; I am 26 years old and weigh 145 lbs. HARRY A. KARP, 167 W. Springfield st., Boston; tel. 7315-W Back Bay.

HAVE you any position open for an ambitious young man who has just been honorably released from the navy? Have had more than 8 years' experience in the wholesale shoe and leather business but am willing to work at any business where there is prospects for a future. Address C 87, Boston American.

HONORABLY discharged young man, 27 years of age and of unquestionable habits desires a position where there is an opportunity for promotion, have had several years' experience in office and insurance work, would like to obtain position with insurance office or at any other reliable business. JOSEPH CAMARA, 80 Fourth st., East Cambridge.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED from army of aviation as a mechanic, carpenter; would like to get a permanent position; experienced over 20 yrs.; good reference. 104 Southern av., Dorchester, Mass.; tel. 2749-W, LOUIS SIROTA.

HONORABLY discharged sailor desires position with opportunity for advancement, experienced in street railway and telephone construction work, accounting experience, 25 yrs. of age, single; will go anywhere. Address C 68, Boston American.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED AVIATOR, college graduate, 25 yrs. of age, desires position where there is an opportunity for advancement, experienced in production and construction work in the steel line; will go anywhere. Address C 69, Boston American.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED soldier, married, wants position in a place where he can learn to repair and drive either a truck or automobile. A. MARTIN, 202 W. Springfield st., Boston, Mass.

HONORABLE discharged soldier desires position as shoe cutter or shoe salesman; 10 years' experience; can also work as clerk in grocery store; best of references. L. SHORE, 22 Coburn st., Malden; telephone 223-M.

HONORABLY discharged soldier, age 19, desires position on stocks or selling with some retail or wholesale clothing concern; three years' experience. SIGMUND KOPLOW, 229 Washington st., Dorchester.

HONORABLY discharged soldier would like position in an office; will do anything if there is chance for advancement. Box I 535, Boston Advertiser, 82 Boylston st.

HONORABLY discharged soldier desires position in a stock room. L. SWANSON, Lanesville, Mass.

HONORABLY discharged fireman on transports wants position as fireman. EDWARD E. COUGHLIN, 26 Forest st., Roxbury.

JAPANESE, student, cook, butler or helper, want positions. JAPANESE AGENCY, 101 W. 42nd, N. Y., cor. 6 av.

JEWELRY SALESMAN, 19, with two and one-half years' experience, desires position with chance for advancement, but would also accept position with any reliable wholesale house. BENJ. DIAMOND, 15 Washington st., Dorchester, Mass.

JUST RELEASED from navy in cost and inspecting department in Bethlehem Steel shipbuilding plant; have good experience and best reference; would like to locate in a receiving or shipping room in or near Boston. Address C 95, Boston American.

JUST discharged, offer my services and use of Ford by day or week. Y 79, Boston American.

LABORER, honorably discharged from army, would like to get work with a construction company or railroad. MICHAEL ROMANO, 147 Cambridge st., Allston.

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MARRIED man, 28 years old, recently discharged from the U. S. Army, wants position as traveling salesman, any line with a well established house, can furnish best of references; for interview, C 100, Boston American.

MARRIED MAN, age 25, recently honorably discharged from army after 18 months' service, 7 months overseas, seeks position with an iron and steel or heavy hardware firm in Boston, 2 years' experience as assistant price clerk, dictaphone correspondent and telephone order clerk; request personal interview with prospective employer. Address C 70, Boston American.

MARRIED MAN, age 24, honorably discharged from army, desires position as manager of branch grocery or tea and butter store; 1½ years' experience. JOHN F. DERMADY, 15A Atherton st., Somerville.

MARRIED MAN, age 30, honorably discharged from air service as a mechanic, desires a position with any firm wishing a man as foreman. Address W. A. WRIGHT, care Cambridge P. O., Gen. Del., Cambridge, Mass.

MARRIED man, 27, honorably discharged from army, would like work evenings from 5 to 10, will do anything. F 76, Boston American.

MARRIED MAN, honorably discharged from army, wants position as carpenter; good all-around mechanic. P. O. box 152, Bedford, Mass.

MECHANICAL draughtsman, married, age 25, honorably discharged soldier, desires position with a future; experienced on the design of small tools, jigs and fixtures. W. T. SULLIVAN, 41 Roswell av., Norwich, Conn.

MUSICIAN—String bass and B flat tuba player, 22 months in U. S. army, wishes position in theatre or hotel, 19 years experience. G 16, Boston American.

ORGANIC CHEMIST—Graduate of large New England university, 1 year's experience in chemical industry; must find work near Boston; recently discharged from Chemical Warfare Service. C 59, Boston American.

PAYMASTER—Young American man, aged 24, high school and business college graduate, 5 years general office experience, attending college 3 evenings per week, good typist, experienced Comptometer and Burroughs adding machine operator, payroll experience; recently discharged from army, best of references. Address F 60, Boston American.

PAINTER, auto truck and wagon painter, good all round letterer, etc., like to take charge small shop in Boston. Y 80, Boston American.

PIANIST—Good musician, wants work playing for pictures, vaudeville or orchestra; can play organ. G 4, Boston American.

PLUMBER—Discharged soldier, good on jobbing and furnace work; temperate and reliable. Address C 96, Boston American.

PORTER for inside factory work, strictly temperate. A. E. SHELLEY, 222 Westville st., Dor., Mass.

POSITION as special officer or investigator for traction or manufacturing concern in or near Boston; age 25 years and married, experienced in traction and cabinet work, electrical protective devices and character analysis; moderate salary to start, but position where efficiency, thoroughness and loyalty will be appreciated, and salary will conform. C 63, Boston American.

POSITION as clerk and typist, understand all manner of paper work, including compiling financial reports and final statements and general office routine; recently honorably discharged from army. DELARO WRIGHT, JR., 52 Hammond st.

POSITION by young man of twenty with electrical concern, has had a year's experience at housewiring, a year at Wentworth Institute and three months at Mass. Institute of Technology. EX-SERVICE MAN, Y 64, Boston American.

POSITION WANTED as bread baker by young man with two years' experience. F. E. CONRICK, 80 Pearl av., Beachmont.

PURITAN OPERATOR—Exp. on shoes, innersoles and suitcase work; honorably discharged from U. S. army. J. CAVANAUGH, 28 Beacham st., Everett, Mass.

POSITION WANTED—By honorably discharged soldier, three years' service in supply room of company; formerly receiving, also shipping clerk in large mail order house. Address J 42, Boston American.

PRODUCTION ENGINEER'S ASSISTANT, well versed and experienced all branches; best references, character, ability, 22 years age; recently dismissed service. C 81, Boston American.

REGISTERED DRUGGIST wants position as manager; 20 months' experience in navy (hospital dept.); I have had several stores of my own; have been registered 20 years in Mass.; just discharged. Address F 4[illegible], Boston American.

REGISTERED DRUGGIST, college graduate, just discharged from navy, desires work in laboratory or hospital dispensary. Box R 548, Boston Advertiser, 82 Boylston st.

REGISTERED DRUGGIST, just out of the army, desires position as second man; 5 years store, 3 years college. M. GOLDMAN, 10 Estella, Mattapan; Milton 1028-R.

REG. GRAD. MALE NURSE, recently discharged from army, desires position as an industrial nurse; 7 yrs.' experience; best references. R. L., 218 Main st., Woburn, Mass.

RELEASED from U. S. navy and wish a position working nights, clerk or bellman in hotel, steady worker. MAURICE ARONSON, 27 Washington st., Dorchester, Mass.

ROBERT W. HUGHES, recently discharged from the army, has resumed teaching and will accept pupils for instruction in piano and harmony. For appointment address Mr. HUGHES at 14 Garden st., Cambridge; tel. Camb. 3537-W.

SAILOR, discharged, A1 salesman with experience, desires position with some food product concern or any other good line; best of references. Write C 55, Boston American.

SALESMAN—25, ambitious, college graduate, honorably discharged from U. S. army, desires position with wholesale hardware firm, preferably outside or inside; six years' experience on road; also two years as manager; willing to undertake anything that has an opportunity for advancement. S. M. GINGOLD, 97 Intervale st., Roxbury, Mass.

SALESMAN, 26 years old, honorably discharged soldier; a year and a half with A. E. F., desires to get in touch with firm who requires the services of an energetic and capable young man who is looking for a future. Address M 2, Boston American.

SALESMAN—Honorably discharged from army, two years at college, chief experience in furniture selling, open for any real, solid, profitable position for one who will not watch the clock. Box S 546, Boston Advertiser.

SALESMAN—Experienced in wholesale groceries, butter, cheese and eggs; have an established trade in Boston and suburbs; also capable of managing retail grocery business. F 55, Boston American.

SALESMAN—Discharged soldier wishes position; experienced in hardware, automobile supplies; will consider any other line; any good canvassing proposition will be considered; salary and commission. M 9, Boston American.

SALESMAN in merchant tailoring store; capable manager; can cut and tailor. Address C 56, Boston American.

SITUATION wanted by experienced draftsman on jig fixture and tool work; recently discharged from navy. GEO. A. LINDGREN, 63 Vine st., E. Providence, R. I.

SOLDIER wishes employment as clerk; had four years' experience doing clerical work; am fairly proficient on typewriter; High School education; willing to travel any part of world. C 64, Boston American.

SPANIARD, knowledge of Latin-American countries, Spain, France, desires position as correspondent; Spanish, French, Portuguese; would travel also; references. CARDONA, 723 Prospect pl., Brooklyn, N. Y.

STENOGRAPHER-CLERK—Young man, 20, honorably discharged from army, desires position. 3 years' experience as law clerk and stenographer, 5 months' experience as stenographer in government service; excellent references. C 77, Boston American.

STENOGRAPHER—Young man, 20 years old, desires position; high school graduate, 2 years' experience; can furnish best of references; honorably discharged from navy. Address C 86, Boston American.

STUDENT attending college desires work of any kind, evenings and Saturdays, recently discharged from the U. S. army. Y 23, Boston American.

TECHNOLOGY STUDENT would like Sunday work, good correspondent; honorably discharged from the service. Address C 71, Boston American.

UNITED STATES AVIATOR, 18 months' service, recently discharged, wishes position with responsible house, selling preferred; will consider anything else. Address C 79, Boston American.

WAITER, 26 years old, recently discharged from U. S. army, wishes position; can furnish best of references. Address C 52, Boston American.

WHAT have you got to offer to a neat, ambitious young man 22 yrs. of age, who has just been discharged from the U. S. Navy? Has had a years' experience with a reliable wholesale gents' furnishing house, can furnish best of references. Y 87, Boston American.

WANTED—Position for a young man of 23, recently discharged from the navy, formerly a clerk, and who is a good scholar. ALBERT T. DOAK, 19A Rena st., Allston, Mass.

WANTED—By a young man of good habits, chance to learn the diving profession; honorably discharged from the U. S. A. M 8, Boston American.

WANTED—Clerical position in accountant's office. R. RUSSELL HORTON, Dighton, Mass.

YOUNG MAN—Just out of service, Tufts Eng. grad., desires position as assistant civil engineer, opportunity for experience and advancement desired. Box G 541, Boston Advertiser.

WANTED—Position as watchman. PATRICK O'SHEA, 137 East George st., Providence, R. I.

WANTED—Position as elevator man. THOMAS KELLEY, 36 Quaid st., Providence, R. I.

WANTED—Position as machinist helper, discharged from service, married. THOMAS ATHY, 64 Newhall st., Lynn.

YOUNG MAN, 24 years of age, recently discharged from the service, would like to connect with some good civil engineering concern as assistant engineer or a position connected with engineering lines; college graduate of pleasing personality and initiative ability and will give best of recommendations. F 54, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, 22 years old, recently discharged from army, desires a position with a reliable firm having a good chance for advancement, with four years' experience in grocery business. J. E. C., 72 Newbury av., Atlantic, Mass.

YOUNG man, 21, high school graduate, just released from U. S. Navy, would like work as chauffeur for Ford; I have 4 years' experience; have also had considerable newspaper and traveling experience. Address C 58, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN would like a position as order clerk who has held a similar position, but would like to get one where a future is assured; recently discharged from the service. F 58, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, 19 years old, honorably discharged from U. S. army, high school graduate, wishes clerical position; would like to travel. GILBERT H. COON, 29 Prentiss st., Cambridge, Mass.

YOUNG MAN, recently discharged from navy, with 2 years' college training and 2 years' business training, would like a position with a future; best of references. Address C 73, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, recently discharged from the army, having two years' experience in the leather business, desires to connect with a leather concern offering favorable opportunity. Address M 11, Boston American.

YOUNG man, 26 years of age, honorably discharged soldier, a year with A. E. F., desires position as salesman with firm who requires an energetic young man who is looking for a future. H 506, Boston Advertiser.

YOUNG MAN, 21 years of age, released from navy, desires to connect with a woolen concern offering favorable opportunity; 2 years' experience; can furnish best of references. F 75, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, 22 years of age, recently discharged from artillery, with two years' college education, would like position in business office. Address C 84, Boston American.

YOUNG married man wishes position as masseur or attendant; recently discharged from army; good references. P. KENT, 1A Haynes park, Roxbury; phone Rox. 5952-M.

YOUNG man recently discharged from U. S. Army would like position where advancement is assured; have had experience as steamfitters' helper. C. V. SEGEBERG, 88 Mt. Auburn st., Cambridge.

YOUNG MAN, 20 years old, high school graduate and attending evening college, desires position at bottom in cotton or wool business; has honorable discharge, graded excellent. Box D 542, Boston Advertiser.

YOUNG MAN, 21 years, discharged from service, U. S. N., high school graduate, 4 years' experience in transportation work, routing shipments, etc., desires work. Box Q 502, Boston Advertiser, 82 Boylston st.

YOUNG MAN, honorably discharged, wants office or factory work; wants to start at bottom and go to the top; will consider any offer whatever; I am good at arithmetic and willing to learn. C 62, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, 21 years of age, honorably discharged, U. S. N., high school graduate, desires position with reliable concern as salesman. Address C 60, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, recently discharged from service, wishes to learn a trade of any kind; will start at small pay. Y 78, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, 19, high school graduate, two years' business experience, wishes position as salesman; willing to travel; best of references. Address X 77, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, recently discharged from the service, with five years' experience in the tire business, wishes position as adjuster or salesman; can furnish best of references. Address C 85, Boston American.

YOUNG COLORED MAN, recently discharged from U. S. army, would like position in hotel or restaurant. Tel. Rox. 3017-J.

YOUNG MAN, honorably discharged from the army, wants a position to do general work on farm. Address C 91, Boston American.

YOUNG man, married, honorably discharged from the army, would like to learn tinsmith trade. Address C 76, Boston American.

YOUNG discharged soldier desires to be connected with any wholesale house which will lead to advancement, speaks several languages and has a selling force, neat appearance and good character, also has a very good education. Address M 1, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, recently discharged from U. S. army and is an experienced teamster, wishes a position in that line. Address F 41, Boston American.

YOUNG man, honorably discharged from army, experienced cashier and shoe salesman. ROBERT SACKS, 33 Fayette st., Cambridge.

YOUNG MAN, recently discharged from army, would like to learn the clothing business; salary no object. G 20, Boston American.

YOUNG man, age 24, honorably discharged from U. S. Army, seeks position of any kind; willing to work. Address F 57, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, honorably discharged from army, wants work. S. FINK, 4 Hancock st.

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Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 93 Oliver st., Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

BRENNAN—In Dorchester, Feb. 1, Edward F., husband of Alice J. (Torrey) Brennan, late patrolman of Station 17.
Funeral from late residence, 175 Boston st., Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 8:15. Requiem services at St. Margaret's Church at 9 a. m. Auto cortege.

CARROLL—In Allston, Feb. 2, Mary E., beloved daughter of Robert Carroll.
Funeral from late residence, 5 Adie st., Allston, Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 8 a. m. Solemn high mass at St. Anthony's Church at 9 o'clock.

DEWIRE—In Somerville, Feb. 1, Eleanor J., youngest daughter of Michael H. and the late Ellen J. Dewire.
Funeral Tuesday, Feb. 4, from her late residence, 399 Washington st., at 8:15. Solemn high mass at St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

GIBLIN—In Dorchester, Feb. 2, Dr. Thomas J., beloved husband of Mary E. O'Connor Giblin.
Funeral from his late residence, 37 Mayfield st., on Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 9:15 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Margaret's Church at 10 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers. Auto cortege.

LYNCH—In Dorchester, Feb. 2, Thomas H., husband of Henrietta (Johns) Lynch, late inspector B. P. D.
Funeral from late residence, 804 Blue Hill av., Wednesday, Feb. 5, at 8:15. Solemn requiem services at St. Leo's Church at 9 a. m. Auto cortege.

SHEEHAN—In South Boston, Feb. 1, Julia Sheehan (nee Connell), widow of the late Jeremiah, and mother of the late Patrick J. Sheehan.
Funeral from her late residence, 9½ West Third st., Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 9:15. Solemn requiem services at Sts. Peter and Paul's Church at 10:15. Relatives and friends invited.

TAVEY—In Philadelphia, Jan. 31, Roy W., beloved husband of Christina Tavey (nee Hurley).
Funeral from the residence of Daniel W. Gurnett, 6 Charles River sq., Boston, Tuesday morning at 8:15. Requiem high mass at St. Cecilia's Church at 9 o'clock. Friends invited.

VANDURA—In Roxbury, Feb. 1, Elizabeth, beloved wife of Manuel Vandura (nee Drydent), formerly of 27 Village st., Boston.
Funeral services from T. J. Mahoney & Sons' funeral parlors, 652-654 Dudley st., Roxbury, Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. Automobile cortege. Worcester, Mass., and New Jersey papers please copy.

WALL—In New York city, Feb. 1, Joseph J. Wall.
Services at his late home, 17 Melville av., Dorchester, Wednesday, Feb. 5, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Burial private.

WAX—In Dorchester, Newman S. Wax, 714 Washington st., 89 yrs.
Services Wednesday, Feb. 5, at 11 a. m. in chapel, Wadsworth Street Cemetery, East Boston. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

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LOST—Feb. 3, platinum diamond handled eye glasses and chain, near Malden, West End depot, or 7:35 train to Boston, or between North Station and Pearl st. Reward return H. N. SAWYER, 41 Pearl st.

LOST—Jan. 29, small black pocketbook containing pendant and chain valued as keepsake, between Dor. and Boston. Call Dorchester 1464; reward.

FURTHER REWARD and no questions asked for return of ring and gloves found in bag, Sat., 25th. Address G 12, Boston American.

LOST PACKAGE of sales slips of no value except to owner; were left on elevated train at State st. Reward for return to 339 Mass. av., Arlington, Mass. Phone 60 Arlington.

LOST—Jan. 22, in or near Castle Square Theatre, lady's gold watch on sautoir ribbon. Return to box office; reward.

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Report of Recess Committee on Taxation

The report to the Legislature of last year's recess Committee on Taxation—the last salaried committee of members of the Legislature that, as the amended constitution now stands, can be created in Massachusetts—is on the whole a more progressive document than was to be expected from the makeup of the committee and the previous records of its members, though it still leaves much to be desired from a standpoint of justice and sound economics. As all but one of the eleven members of the recess committee are members of this year's Legislature also, and as our Legislature has always of late years followed the bell-wether method of disposing of taxation measures, the recommendations of the report are likely to be adopted without much modification.

The best feature in the report is the declaration in favor of the distribution of the revenue from the income tax between the municipalities on the basis of their tangible property valuations and not on the basis of the residence of the income tax payers. There are good and sufficient reasons why the taxes levied on real estate and tangible personal property SHOULD go to the cities and towns where the property is located, because the value of such property and the comfort and security of the owner in his enjoyment of it are largely dependent upon the quality of the highways, schools, police and fire projection, and other community benefits that the local revenues are required to provide. But the case of the income tax is radically different.

Generally speaking, the incomes taxed in the "residential towns"—as the committee politely designates Orleans, Dover, Nahant and some thirty other towns more commonly styled "Tax-dodgers' Retreats"—are earned in the industrial and commercial centres, and are not dependent in the smallest degree upon the good or bad quality of the local administrations under whose jurisdictions the recipients of the incomes choose to reside. This is true in great part even of the 1½ per cent. tax on business and professional incomes, a very large proportion of which are earned in Boston, and ought to be taxed there if anywhere under the residence rule. It is true almost without exception of the 6 per cent. tax on corporation securities from which the greater part of the income tax revenue is derived, and which is to a large extent a tax on incomes earned outside the Commonwealth altogether. Such being the case, it is manifestly fair that the revenue from the income tax should be used to reduce property tax rates uniformly all over the State, as the committee recommends, instead of going to reduce property taxes pretty near the vanishing point in Orleans and a few other favored localities.

The committee's proposal to spread the adoption of a just system of distribution over a period of ten years instead of making it effective at once is another matter altogether. All the cities and most of the towns have borne for a generation a tax rate unfairly high because of the unjust system which the committee proposes to remedy by slow degrees instead of immediately. Reparation for the past wrong is of course not to be expected, but the proposal to continue an admitted injustice for a decade longer on a diminishing scale seems to say the least a bit ultra-conservative. It is to be hoped that in this one instance the Legislature will take the bits in its teeth and very materially exceed the speed limit set by its over-cautious advisers.

About the remaining features of the report there is not very much at present to be said either in praise or dispraise. Its plan of corporation taxation is better than the present, but it is complicated and abstruse where simplicity and intelligibility are entirely possible, and it stops far short of remedying the notorious defects whereby our tax system discriminates against small corporations and fosters the organization of monopolies. On the whole, the tenor of this part of the report strengthens the suspicion that the corporation lobby is still on the job, and that to obtain an approximately fair system of corporation taxation we must wait awhile longer—perhaps for a practical application of the Initiative and Referendum.

Old Gentlemen, Please Walk Down Stairs—Save Coal

Also Keep Your Knee Joints in Working Order

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At the lunch and quitting hours thousands of elevators go empty to the tops of buildings to take people down. It is suggested to those that have time and patriotic impulse that they walk down instead of waiting for the elevator, saving power and coal.

We urge this advice upon old gentlemen, whose knees creak as their fiftieth year vanishes into the "ewigkeit."

After fifty we walk too slowly and too little. We walk with legs straight, neglecting the hinges of the knees, and other hinges higher up.

Walking up stairs is not good for the old. It tires the heart, unless you walk VERY slowly.

But walking down stairs is the best possible exercise. TRY IT.

In walking down stairs the power of gravitation carries you; all you have to do is to watch your step, bend your ancient joints, keeping them in working order, retaining that feeble imitation of youth which age values so highly.

While you walk down stairs, gentlemen of middle age, watch your step and breathe deeply, keep your backbone straight, and think.

You can do much thinking between the twelfth floor and the sidewalk.

If you are working hard for small pay, ask yourself once on each step: "What is the matter with me?"

If you are rich, paying many little men less than you ought, ask yourself twice on each step: "What is the matter with me?"

Walk down stairs, bend your knees, save coal, think! This advice alone is worth what this newspaper costs you.

The League of Husbands -:- -:- By T. E. Powers

"A Member Is Acquitted of a Very Serious Charge"

Ye TOWN GOSSIP

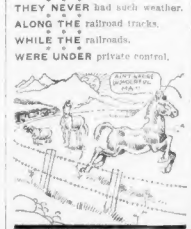
Registered U. S. Patent Office.

By K. C. B.

En Route West, Jan. 30.

WALTER HINES,
DIRECTOR OF Railroads,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
MY DEAR Walter.
ON THE back of the door,
IN OUR washroom,
ON A transcontinental train,
BOUND INTO the West,
THERE IS a letter,
FROM MR. McAdoo,
AND THE letter says
IF WE have any complaints,
OR WORDS of praise
TO LET him know,
AND YOU'RE his successor,
AND I suppose it's all right,
TO WRITE to you,
AND I want to tell you,
THAT FOR several years,
I'VE BEEN making trips,
FROM OUT here in the West,
BACK INTO the East,
AT THIS time of the year,
AND ALWAYS before,
IT'S BEEN very cold,
AND THE prairie lands,
HAVE BEEN covered with snow,
AND THE horses and cattle,
AND BANDS of sheep,
THAT THEY let run wild,
HAVE BEEN huddled up,
TO KEEP themselves warm,
AND I'VE seen the time,
WHEN THE driving winds,
AND THE bitter cold,
HAVE PILED them up,
WHERE THE fence line runs,
BY THE railroad track,
AND KILLED them there
AND JUST today,
WHEN I came in here,
TO WRITE to you,

I'D BEEN sitting outside,
ON THE rear platform,
AND THE sun is warm,
AND THE plains run off,
AND CLIMB into hills,
AND THERE is no snow,
AND THE air is soft,
AS IT is in May,
AND THE half-grown steers,
ARE PLAYING a game,
THAT LOOKS to me,
LIKE A game of tag,
AND THE cows look on
IN MILD content,
AND CHEW their cuds,
AND FURTHER away,
THE BANDS of sheep,
ARE MOVING about,
LIKE VAST white rugs,
AND BEYOND the fence,
THE ROAMING horses,
CEASE TO graze,
AND LIFT their heads,
AS THE train speeds by,
AND, MR. Hines,
I JUST wanted to tell you
THAT SO far as I know
AT THIS time of the year,
THEY NEVER had such weather,
ALONG THE railroad tracks,
WHILE THE railroads,
WERE UNDER private control,



I THANK you.

Letters to the Editor

Thanks From General McCain

Editor Boston American.

General McCain appreciates the kindness of the Boston American in extending to all soldiers the courtesy of advertising for employment, without charge, in the columns of the American.

General McCain states further that he considers this a very public-spirited, patriotic policy on the part of the American, especially appropriate and desirable at this time.

The general believes that the soldiers are very appreciative of the kindness of the American in this matter, and thanks the editor in their name.

W. J. FITZMAURICE.
Major G. S. Asst. Chief of Staff.

League of Nations

Editor Boston American.

I belong to that numerous class of readers who heartily commend the tone and tendency of your leading articles. Your discussion of world topics is like turning on the searchlight. No current writing comes under my notice better calculated to teach the masses and tutor their masters. At the present time more than at any former period, the fearless attitude of the journalist alone can lead the way to social reform and sanative methods in managing public affairs. It needs somebody to see things as they actually are, and dare to tell the truth about them. Your recent editorial on Russian intervention, for instance, should be framed and hung up as a perpetual reminder to short-sighted politicians. You know the ancient defined man as "an animal that looks before and after." Many good people, who undertake to draw up rules for the directing of our conduct, are outgrowing the wholesome habit of retrospection. How can we accurately gauge the future, in respect to social vicissitudes, if we never glance over the past. We do not have to delve into history, but only keep in mind the doings of diplomacy during recent years.

I have seen no allusion lately to the remarkable fact that the ex-Czar Nicholas astounded Europe just twenty years ago by a note to the great powers proposing a league of nations and a general disarmament. That note, an exceedingly reasonable one, and bearing every evidence of good faith, was widely promulgated by the press and awakened keen discussion. It was rejected with jeering comments by the foremost chancelleries of Europe, as you are aware, but it is a pity the fallen despot, so-called, could not have secured the copyright of his benevolent scheme. It seems to me more workable than anything of the kind yet given out. To stop mass-murder effectually, we must throw away the implements. A brotherhood of burglars, who decided to quit the vocation, would surely not keep the tools and acquire more of them. I did not intend to pass remarks in this note; but to express the hope that you might some day give the public an outline of Nicholas' famous peace program, and the solemn sneer with which some English statesman hailed it.

M. H. NICKERSON.
East Boston.

Naturalization

Editor Boston American:

Prompted by your recent editorial, I will relate to you my experience in trying to become an American citizen. I lost one day's pay to get my first papers. I lost one day to get necessary papers to send to Washington. I lost a day to get two witnesses, then found one was sick and couldn't go on the day appointed. I tried to get another one and could not. Now those same two witnesses would have to appear before court on another day, making two days lost for two men, and four for myself. I understand that in all such cases the applicants pay the witnesses' salary. It also makes a great inconvenience to both employer and employe.

I am still a British subject, sorry to say. I am sorry to take up so much of your time, but I trust the Boston American will find some room so these matters can be attended to at night when people are at liberty.

MICHAEL L. HARRY.
Newton.

THE WAYS OF A RESERVED MAN FROM HOME

By Winifred Black

THEY don't like that kind of thing at our house," said the man from home.

And later in the evening he said, "They're fond of music at home, I must take a copy of this song with me."

And when the man from home had gone home, those who had heard him speak so often of "they" laughed, and one said, "He's married and didn't want us to know it."

And the other said, "He's old-fashioned, and thinks it's improper to mention his wife by name."

And one said, "Well, if my husband called me 'they' when he talked about me, I'd see that he didn't get a chance to talk much, that's all."

But one, wiser in the knowledge of the human heart than the rest, leaned back in her chair and smiled.

"You're wrong," she said, "all wrong, every one of you.

"That man has a wife and he's proud of her and, more than that, he's in love with her, so much in love with her that he thinks about her all the time.

"But he comes from a reserved race, and the men of his family would rather die than to mention the name of the woman who is to them the ideal of everything that is noble and fine and beautiful on earth."

The Other Sort

And, somehow, we all knew that what the wisest said was true, and some of us laughed and some smiled mockingly—but I sighed a deep sigh of regret, and yet of a kind of contentment.

I wished there were more men like him in the world—the man who could not keep his wife from his thoughts and yet who would not lightly speak her name to careless strangers.

What is she like, I wonder?

Has she come to mean to him all that is good and pure and fine and beautiful in life, and does he know the world so well that he will not expose the pearl of his devotion to the careless laughter of shallow-minded strangers?

What a lucky woman she is—the wife of a man who holds her in such deep respect!

The other sort of man—you know him, don't you?

The sort who cannot be with you for five minutes without telling you about his wife and her faults.

The man with the free tongue, the light lip, the careless thought—how disgusting he is, and how every woman who hears him thanks her stars she is not married to such a man.

Of Different Clay

I know a woman who loves her husband deeply and truly. She knows him to be a good man, truly devoted to her.

Honest, kindly, clever in a way, ambitious and successful—yet, she's going to leave him and go home and break her heart under her father's roof because she has found that her husband is a coarse nature, and shows his coarseness by talking of her to every stranger who will listen to him, and saying things that humiliate her to the very earth.

The man cannot understand the woman's attitude, he thinks she is finicky and overly reserved; he does not believe that she really loves him. "If she did," he says, "she would not leave me for such a little thing as that."

But I have heard this man talk—and I don't blame his wife at all. She is made of different clay, and it would kill her to live with him.

They—I wonder if "they" speaks so of her husband when she is separated from him. It would be interesting to know—wouldn't it?

JULES VERNE OUTDONE IN FACT

How science, studying the big gun that bombarded Paris from a distance of seventy-five miles, believes another of Jules Verne's imaginary exploits is now entirely possible to accomplish in reality, is interestingly told in the next

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Today

Revolutionary Mr. Gompers. He Wants the People to Govern. Time to Teach Peace.

By Arthur Brisbane

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Mr. Gompers says the workingmen, the "people," as he puts it, are determined to be the governing power in this country hereafter. He adds, with a distinctness that will startle certain ears, "I mean that the people mean to control their government and do not intend any longer to have the governing power exercised by judges on the bench."

This is as near to an American revolutionary statement as has ever come from a man as important, officially, as Mr. Gompers.

To take the governing power from the judges would be to change the entire American system of government. The courts are, and always have been, the wall, bulwark or buffer between the great crowd and so-called "property interests." Also, between the crowd and too hasty legislation.

For instance, women were working all night and horribly long hours in the State of New York. The people passed a law forbidding it. This threatened the property interests of those that were thus exploiting women. The highest court in the state declared the law NOT CONSTITUTIONAL. That settled it, until the Supreme Court overruled the New York court.

If the Supreme Court had happened to uphold the New York court, as it undoubtedly would have done a few years before, it would have been impossible for the people of New York to establish a law protecting the women of the State.

Congress passed a law interfering with the child labor system that disgraces this nation and makes a farce of all our palaver about democracy. The Supreme Court majority decided that the law to protect the children is not constitutional. The law is a dead letter, and Congress must hunt for some other way to prevent turning the blood and life of young children into profits.

Mr. Gompers has been in England talking to English labor leaders about their revolutionary labor program and observing the FACT that organized labor rules England absolutely. Lloyd George and Bonars will keep in power as long as they can placate labor, and no longer.

Mr. Gompers thinks the English thing can be done here. But can it? Probably not. The power of injunction is strong. There is to be a permanent army of five hundred thousand men to back it up—and here we are not afraid to use our army, as Cleveland proved in the Chicago strike.

There will be a compromise probably. Mr. Gompers will be allowed to SAY that the courts and judges must not rule, which is quite a concession. For this is a country in which you must be very careful what you even say.

Mr. Gompers will be allowed to say the courts must govern no longer. The courts will continue to govern, just the same. And that will be the American compromise for the immediate present. Later there will be another compromise.

For the present, mark this. You have not yet seen the real beginning of government of the many by the few in the United States. You have not seen the real beginning of government by the agents of organized money. The thing has not really started. We are talking something else in Europe. But that is for Europe, not for this country.

Mr. Gompers will grow old and pass on still fighting. And the last thing he will remember will be the statement of some judge, perhaps graduated from the law office of a trust attorney: "You can't pass that kind of law; it is not constitutional."

The change will come gradually in the courts. They upheld slavery, then changed their minds.

They forbade an income tax, said it was not constitutional, either. They were overruled. They will be lifted high upon the bench, the great judge keeps one ear on the ground. He learns—sometimes a little late—what the people think. Then he changes instantly.

But this system of government by judges brings changes slowly, and perhaps that is just as well. For in this country we WANT changes gradually, not violently. We had a taste of the other method in our Civil War. We see it working now in Russia. It is worth while to be patient in order to get what you want without breaking your neck.

The learned head of Harvard says the universities should teach war to the young men.

Suppose, by and by, it seems, should teach a little peace also, and something about its value, especially to young children.

Chicago boys were playing war. One had a small rifle. He shot another small boy through the body. One boy went to the hospital. The other certainly does not need to be taught war.

Three young boys played together. One, nine years old, had nine dollars and did not offer to divide. The other two, not over twelve, agreed to kill the boy, and actually did beat him to death with an empty whiskey bottle, taking his nine dollars. A little peace teaching would do good there. There has been a deal of preaching about the beauty of war—perhaps enough for the moment.